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ADMINISTRATION BILL ABOLISHING TAX BOARD KILLED BY ASSEMBLY

CRUSHING DEFEAT FOR PHILLIP IN ACTION OF HOUSE

Governor's Measure Loses 49 to 42 After a Hot Debate on the Floor

SECOND SURPRISE OF WEEK

Line-up Is Practically the Same as on Nordman Amendment to the Water Power Bill

MADISON, Wis., June 18.—The administration forces suffered a crushing defeat early this afternoon, when after a debate lasting for two hours, followed by a call of the house, the bill abolishing the tax commission was killed by a vote of 49 to 42. Assemblyman E. A. Everot the Philipp floor leader, changed his vote to move for reconsideration.

The vote on this bill is the second big surprise sprung by the assembly in a week. The lineup on the tax bill was practically the same as that on the Nordman amendment to the waterpower measure. The progressives, democrats and socialists, with two or three desertions by administration men, were the cause of the downfall of the governor's pet measure.

Charges by opponents of the measure on the floor during the debate were highly sensational. Assemblyman Minkley produced evidence intended to show that the men behind the measure, from outside of the legislature, were the same coterie that formerly profited by getting inheritance tax work from the state. One bill for $19,000 put in by T. C. Richmond of Madison, an officer in the home rule and taxpayers' league, was shown. Mr. Richmond has been active for the bill.

The administration leaders refused to comment on the result of the vote.

CENTRAL BOARD OF EDUCATION BILL PASSED IN HOUSE

Vote Is 50 to 33 and Only One Member Changes Vote from Stand on Engrossment

MADISON, Wis., June 18.—(Special.)—The central board of education bill was placed on final passage in the assembly Thursday night by a vote of 50 to 33. There was little change from the vote on engrossment. Assemblyman Pieper being the only member to change his vote. He voted against the bill last night.

The vote came at the end of a two hour discussion. Of those absent the first time the bill came up Axel Johnson, Polk county lead in the support of the governor's bill. Assemblyman Hambrecht carried the brunt of the fighting in defense of the bill, while the bill was again made the subject of sharp attack by Assemblymen Ofstie, Kent and Minkley.

The gentlemen supporting this bill admit that we have the best university in the country," said Assemblyman Ofstie. "Then why change the system that has made it great? This bill will lower the standard of both the university and the normal schools."

The assembly placed further consideration of the Bennett fire insurance regulation bill, 883, on next Wednesday's calendar.

It was about to take up the final consideration of the tax commission reorganization bill, when Assemblyman Carl Hanson got a call of the house to bring in absentees. The assembly then adjourned.

The bill to permit banks to elect to be taxed under the income tax law instead of under the present system, is one the assembly calendar recommended for passage, with an amendment, providing that the rate of taxation must be 10 per cent.

The senate has put over three consolidation bills until next Wednesday, the agricultural, conservation and board of public welfare bills going over until that time. The senate in committee of the whole considered the first two bills Thursday afternoon, while the other bill is on the calendar recommended for indefinite postponement by the finance committee.

RACINE MAN BANKRUPT

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 18.—John C. Oliver of Racine today filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. He gave his liabilities as $747.53 and his assets $400, of which $200 is exempt.

BERNSTORFF ASKS APOLOGY FOR SPY STORY OF GERHARD

WASHINGTON, June 18.—An apology from the newspaper which started the report that German Ambassador Bernstorff smuggled Alfred Meyer, a Berlin war office agent, out of the United States as Dr. Anton Meyer-Gerhard was understood to have been brought by the ambassador through the state department today.

Bernsdorff told acting Secretary Lansing that the story was false from beginning to end.

WIRE CHIEF HURT BY LIGHT CURRENT

Frank Wiggert Rendered Unconscious on Pole When He Grasps Electric Light Wire

LINEMAN TIES HIS BODY FAST

Fire Company No. 3 Rescues Him and Takes Him to Hospital Where He Is Recovering

Grasping an electric light wire which he thought was "dead" while climbing a telephone pole this morning, Frank Wiggert, wire chief of the Wisconsin Telephone company, received a shock that rendered him unconscious. Had it not been for the timely assistance of H. O. Mulligan, who climbed up and tied Wiggert to the pole with a rope, he might have fallen to the ground and been seriously injured.

Fire company No. 3 was called to rescue his senseless body from the cross-tree of the pole.

Wiggert did not receive any burns. He was rushed to the St. Francis hospital where Dr. W. E. Bannen attended him. By noon he had regained consciousness and was resting easily, it was reported at the hospital.

Hunting trouble in the local telephone service, Wiggert ascended the pole located between Sixth and Seventh streets on Winnebago this morning. During the day there is as a rule no current in the wires running to the corner arc lights, and knowing this Wiggert grasped the wire.

COMMISSION OPENS INVESTIGATION OF CITY WATER PLANT

Engineer Walter E. Miller Here to Gather Facts for Valuation of System

Investigation of the La Crosse water system, with the view to determining its valuation for the purpose of revising the rates, began this morning when Engineer Walter E. Miller, representing the state railroad commission, got down to work with City Engineer George Bradish.

Miller today was investigating the pipe included in the city's lines, going back into the records since 1867, when the first water pipe was laid, to make his facts complete.

A mechanical engineer to investigate the cost of the new pumping station and equipment, and another engineer versed in land values will be here within a week or so, it is expected, to supplement Miller's report.

The tentative valuation of the engineers will be ready in about a month. It will be subject to revision by the commission after a hearing at which the city will be invited to discuss the report.

ALUMNI BANQUET AND BALL TONIGHT

The third annual banquet of the La Crosse high school alumni association will take place this evening at 6:30 at the high school. District Attorney Otto Bosshard will be toastmaster. The business meeting following the dinner will be brief, and the dance will begin at 8:30.

PRISONERS PUT TO WORK

BERLIN, via Wireless to Sayville, June 18.—In retaliation for alleged brutal treatment of German prisoners in tropical Africa, the government announced today that French war prisoners will be compelled to cultivate swamps in different parts of the empire.

BIG CLASS GIVEN DIPLOMAS AT THE 1915 GRADUATION

Exercises at Theater Last Night Are Most Impressive as 142 Join Ranks of Alumni

WALKER IS VALEDICTORIAN

Address Evokes Hearty Applause When He Pledges Loyalty of Class to Flag and President

Upon one hundred and forty-two young people of the city of LaCrosse and immediate vicinity was drawn last night the curtain of high school instruction at the 1915 graduation program held at the La Crosse Theater.

The graduating exercises were perhaps the most impressive ever held by the school of the Red and Black. Seated back of a mass of flowers, ferns and foliage, the class, past the seven score mark, presented a spectacle not to be forgotten.

Principal B. E. McCormick, plain "Mac" to the students, was seated at the left of the stage. At his side was William Luening, president of the board of education.

Luening Speaks

A warning against the dangers attending an improper use of a higher education was contained in the presentation address of Mr. Luening at the close of the program. "It is a blessing when rightly used," he said. "But when used to disadvantage it proves a danger."

Harking back to the days of 1908 when the first class was graduated from the new high school building, Mr. Luening expressed great satisfaction in the growth of the annual graduation of the school from fifty graduates to nearly thrice that number, as evidenced by the graduating class this year. "In a few years," he said, "the graduating classes will have to sit in the foyer and the audience take the stage."

William Walker, leader of many a platform battle and the victor in many of the three cornered debates with Sparta and Viroqua, occupied the place of valedictorian on the program. His address was entitled "Tomorrow's Service."

Promises Loyalty

Walker brought down a thunder of applause when he pointed to Old Glory and pledged for the class of 1915 loyalty to the flag. He decried the thoughts of some who would place Americans in the light of traitors, alluding specifically to the relations of this country with the warring nations across the Atlantic. He was cheered again when he pledged the support of the class to President Wilson.

Following two orchestral numbers, "Liebestraume," and "The Persian March" by the high school orchestra under the direction of Miss Ida McLean, Russell Anderson delivered the salutatory, which contained, in the name of the class, an expression of thanks to the faculty and to the city.

Then followed a vocal selection, "A Song of May" by the girls' sextet composed of the Misses Edith Weisbord, Birdelle Morrison, Dorothy Cordell, Calverna Linse, Dorothy Irish and Florence Clark.

An essay, "High School Values," by Miss Effie Larsen, contained an appreciation of the efforts of the city in obtaining education for the masses. A high school education, the speaker said, although not absolutely essential to success in life, in the majority of cases proves of vast advantage to the student in after life.

A declamation, "Who's Afraid," by Miss Leah Young followed the piano solo, Sextet from "Lucia De Lammermoor," by Miss Alvina Fremstad.

Praises "Iron Horse"

"The Trail of the Iron Horse," an oration, was delivered by Ronald Valier. It was an essay in commemoration of the work done for this country by the railroad builders, of the development resulting from the piercing of wild, yet rich regions, by the railroads. A vocal number, "The Goblins," was given by the high school double mixed quartette, composed of Edith Weisbord, Birdelle Morrison, Dorothy Irish, Florence Clark, Thomas Gibson, Harry Worth, Maynard Barney and Owen Whisler.

Miss Esther Wiggert followed with an essay, "Light, Asthetic and Practical." The essay took into discussion the laws of light as evidence of the unswerving laws of the universe.

Three vocal numbers, "Mavis," and "My Laddie," by Miss Marie Esch, and "The Heavens are Telling," from "The Creation," by the combined glee club and orchestra, concluded the student program. Presentation of diplomas by President Luening followed. Bernice Erickson and Mark Esch acted as diploma bearers.

Yell is Finish

When the audience was leaving, the class rose in a body and for the last time as students of the school gave the high school yell. And then they became alumni.

TURK CAMP SHELLED

ATHENS, June 18.—Allied aviators bombarded a Turkish encampment at Maidos, on Gallipoli peninsula yesterday, inflicting heavy damage, it was learned today.

ITALIAN TOWN OF FANO BOMBARDED BY AUSTRIAN FLEET

Rome Admits Descent on Town of Enemy Force Early This Morning

TOWN FAMOUS AS ART CENTER

Old Cathedral and Churches Besides Augustan Triumphal Arch Are There

ROME, June 18.—An Austrian cruiser and four destroyers bombarded the Italian watering place of Fano, on the Adriatic, for several minutes today. An official statement from the ministry of marine this afternoon said that the damage was "insignificant."

The enemy warships evidently planned to damage the Ravenna-Ancona railway leading through Fano. The aim was poor and none of the explosives reached their mark. Several shells fell in the neighborhood of churches and public buildings but the damage was slight.

People Take to Cellars

The people of Fano took to their cellars when the first shells began falling, and according to official reports there were no casualties.

Fano is one of the greatest art centers in eastern Italy. It contains a cathedral and several churches, all of which are famous for their art treasures. The famous triumphal arch built by Augustus yearly attracts thousands of tourists.

TWELVE KILLED IN WIDESPREAD STORM

High Winds and Heavy Rain Disastrous in Missouri and Kansas

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 18.—Twelve persons are known to have lost their lives and considerable property was damaged during the last twenty-four hours by high winds and heavy rains which swept Kansas and Missouri. From every section came reports of buildings unroofed, silos scattered, with streams out of their banks and bridges gone. Wire communication was demoralized, especially between Kansas City and St. Louis.

Three lives were lost when a railroad bridge collapsed near Westmoreland, Kan.

Three were reported killed by a tornado near Richmond, Mo.

One woman was frightened to death in Kansas City.

Five persons were reported killed near Onaga, Kan.

Tornadoes were reported near Richmond, Mo.; near Salina, Kan., in Ellis county Kan.; Herrmann, Mo.; Paris, Mo., and near Sedalia, Mo.

Central portions of Iowa, eastern Nebraska, the northern half of Oklahoma and all of Kansas as well as Missouri felt the force of the tornado and which is reported sweeping toward the lake regions, although with lessened intensity.

Crops Damaged

Up to late this afternoon there was little on which to base an estimate of possible damage to wheat, oats and corn crops, but, it was believed, from the heavy rainfall reported, that it would be considerable.

Three Dead at Richmond

RICHMOND, Mo., June 18—Three persons were killed, two were seriously injured and a number of others suffered injuries less serious in a tornado that early today swept the Central part of Ray county. Mrs. Arthur Covey and her infant were killed when the Covey dwelling on a farm six miles southeast of here was demolished, and Mrs. Mary Bell, aged 60, was killed by lightning on Richmond.

Weather

Temperatures yesterday: High, 70; low, 52; precipitation, 1.30.

Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Saturday. Not much change in temperature.

For Wisconsin: Unsettled with rain this afternoon and probably north and east portions tonight. Continued cool. Strong shifting winds diminishing.

For Minnesota: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday with showers in northeast portion tonight. Cooler northeast portion tonight.

Stage of River

Flood Stage.	Height.	Change.
St. Paul 14	7.5	-0.1
Red Wing 14	6.0	-0.2
Reeds Landing .12	6.1	—0.1
La Crosse 12	7.5	0.0
Pr. du Chien ...12	7.8	-0.1

River Forecast

St. Paul to La Crosse: The heavy rain that occurred in this section last night is likely to cause a general rise in the river stages during the next 36 hours.

FURIOUS BATTLE IN PROGRESS ON DATE OF WATERLOO

Fight Rages Over Hillsides Strewn with Corpses Marking Centenary of Waterloo

FIERCE FIGHTING AROUND SOUCHEZ

French Hurl Themselves Against 200,000 Germans, the Guns Aiding

PARIS, June 18.—On an eight mile front north of Arras, a furious battle over wrecked trenches and hillsides strewn with corpses is marking the centenary of Napoleon's defeat at Waterloo.

The French are fighting desperately to surround a large enemy force in a ravine east of the Lorette Hills. From a hill near Souchez heavy artillery is sweeping the enemy lines.

All around Souchez the fighting is going on with the greatest intensity. The French are pounding against fortified strongholds with artillery while infantry regiments are hurling themselves against 200,000 Germans engaged in a desperate effort to hold their lines before Lens.

Tremendous importance is attached to the conflict north of Arras by military officials here. For the first time in many weeks the screen of censorship was drawn tightly over the operations today, indicating the seriousness of the gigantic struggle.

This announcement only increased the tension here. For weeks hints have gone out of a mighty smash against the German lines on the anniversary of Waterloo. Though officially discredited, Paris has been led to believe that the climax of the French thrust north of Arras was to be reached today and the public feverishly awaited more news from the front.

Germans Reply With Fury

The Germans are counter-attacking with great fury. Bombs, hand grenades and bayonets all are playing their part in the great conflict. Loss of Lens would force a readjustment of the German lines from Arras to the sea and for this reason the Teutons are throwing their forces into battle with utter disregard for lives.

No estimates of the loss of life have reached Paris, but it is accepted here that heavy losses are occurring on boht sides.

Claim Victory Over British

The war office, however, announced the most complete annihilation of a British detachment in the fighting north of the Bethune-La Basee canal. The English troops rushed forward to within a few yards of the German positions. A terrible hail of artillerly and machine gun fire was turned upon them and few of the enemy's troops escaped.

PARIS, June 18.—Eighty miles from the battlefield of Waterloo, where Napoleon was crushed 100 years ago today, a French army is hurling itself against the Germans before Lens in one of the greatest battles since the fighting on the Marne.

More shells are crashing against the German positions every hour than Napoleon used in the whole of that historic battle. Napoleon's army at Waterloo consisted of 71,947 men, a mere handful compared with the forces at grips around Arras.

THOUSANDS BRAVE COLD AND WET TO HEAR BAND MUSIC

Threatening Weather Does Not Keep Down Numbers of Huge Crowd at Riverside Park

Despite the cold weather and threatening rain, more than 2,000 people attended the second band concert of the season at Riverside park last evening when an excellent program was given by the Kreuz and Andre bands.

A large number of benches were arranged around the band stand, which was recently completed, but these proved inadequate for the crowd, many of whom stood to hear the music. Most of the crowd stayed to the end of the concert which lasted about an hour. The program included both popular and classical music.

It was announced today that arrangements have been made whereby these band concerts will be held once a week during the summer months.

BRATTEM TO ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 18.—Catcher Brattem has been purchased by the Cardinals from the Vancouver, B. C., team.

THREAT IS CONTAINED IN REPLY RECEIVED FROM CHAZARO TODAY

Provisional President of Mexico Says Country Will Act in Case of Intervention

WASHINGTON, June 18.—With a war squadron sailing toward Guaymas, Mexico, under orders to land American forces, if necessary to protect ranchmen from Yaqui Indians, the state department today received from President Chazaro of the Mexican conventionalist faction, a thinly veiled hint that armed American intervention in Mexico would be resisted forcibly.

Supports Villa

Chazaro also supported General Villa's peace proposals to General Carranza. The message was the last of the formal responses from the Mexican leaders to President Wilson's Mexican declaration. Except for the one note of defiance, it was most friendly. It took the view that the Washington declaration was merely in the nature of friendly suggestion and advice. Attention was called, however, to the fact that in his Indianapolis speech, the president disclaimed the right to dictate to Mexico.

Officials were more hopeful that it would be possible to avoid landing bluejackets and marines to protect American colonists near Guaymas, Mexico. Their hopes were based on assurances from General Villa that his troops would rout the Yaquis and safeguard foreigners.

It was said the government, however, will not modify instructions, with wide discretionary authority, given to Admiral Howard.

Gov. Maytorena of Sonora state was reported rushing troops to the Yaqui valley, but other accounts were to the effect that the Mexican soldiers in the valley had retreated before the Indians' fire.

Howard Due Sunday

Admiral Howard on his flagship Colorado, with three companies of marines, is due about Sunday noon in Tobari bay, a few miles south of Guaymas and a day's march overland from the scene of the uprising.

The cruisers Chattanooga, Raleigh and New Orleans will mobilize at Guaymas, it is expected, to furnish reinforcements if necessary.

Advices Meager

Because of broken telegraph connection to the Yaqui valley, state department advices were meager. The American consul at Guaymas reported that the number of hostile Yaquis is estimated at from several hundred to 3,000.

The Yaquis are split into roving bands, pillaging ranches, firing buildings and driving out settlers. Their fight is to regain rich ranching lands secured by various foreign concessionaries during the Diaz regime.

The latest report of casualties is that three persons were killed and eleven wounded in an attack upon a Mexican Southern Pacific work train at Mapoli, Sonora, last Saturday. Two Americans, W. E. Bach, water superintendent, and W. P. Smith, brakeman, were reported slightly wounded.

Upon the arrival of Admiral Howard's forces it is expected that an escort will be sent to the valley to meet the Yaqui chiefs. If the colonists are in immediate danger, however, Admiral Howard will at once send his land forces ashore.

Reports that Admiral Caperton, in charge of naval forces on the Mexican east coast, had asked that "all available" ships be sent to Vera Cruz were officially denied today. It was explained that Caperton's request was merely that naval vessels be used to carry famine relief supplies to Vera Cruz.

News was received of serious dissention in Carranza's cabinet. Consul Silliman cabled that Foreign Minister Zubaran's and the justice minister's resignations had been accepted and that two other cabinet members had quit.

Villa's army was reported retreating to Torreon. A Carranza general was said to have been killed.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Mexico and the international situation occupied much of the cabinet's attention today. It is understood it was decided that, until further effort is made to have the Mexican factions agree on a permanent government, the administration will take no other steps.

As a whole, it was said, the European international situation was far more satisfactory to the president and his advisers than was the Mexican outlook. It is apparent already that the Mexican factional leaders are unwilling to stop fighting.

RITTER HAS NOT YET TURNED IN HIS RESIGNATION

Announcement He Will Quit Practically Is Retreat from Department Under Fire

WAS WITNESS AGAINST WENDLING

Shortly Afterwards Charges Were Filed Against Him of Which Wendling Was Thought to Know

The resignation of Patrolman William J. Ritter, announced by that officer in an interview last evening, had not been received by Chief John Webber late this afternoon. Mr. Ritter is on his vacation, and it is expected he will tender the resignation upon his return.

Ritter announces that he will become assistant manager of the Banner Dairy Lunch rooms, and will be in charge of the night shift.

Although a technicality has held up his action on charges filed against him, Ritter practically leaves the police force "under fire," and for more than a year he has been buffeted by conflicting currents within the department.

Witness Against Wendling

Ritter's trouble started when he became the principle witness against Detective John Wendling in the case in which the latter was removed on the ground that he had made improper use of the police car, and for other alleged delinquencies. Wendling took the case up on appeal, and in the meantime charges were filed against Ritter upon an affidavit made by a woman charging him with misconduct. It is believed that Wendling knew something of these charges.

The supreme court reversed the decision against Wendling, restoring him to the force upon the ground that the police commission, which filed the charges, is bnt a judicial body and can not initiate such proceedings. Wendling recovered back pay, and returned to the force.

Ruling Saves Ritter

The charges against Ritter were held up by the commission, awaiting the decision in the Wendling case, because the commission had filed the Ritter charges and their legality would be fixed by the Wendling decision. Upon the reversal of the Wendling decision, the commission was compelled to abandon prosecution of the Ritter charges, although there has been no public announcement of the dismissal of the case.

Chief Webber announced this morning that nothing would be done about a successor to Ritter until his resignation had actually been received.

LA CROSSE RAIN SECOND IN NATION

City Has Fall of 1.30 Inches Last Night and Is Beaten Only by Concordia, Kansas

La Crosse had a rain fall of 1.30 inches last night. Weather reports which were received here this morning show that, with the exception of Concordia, Kas., where 4.50 inches fell, this city had the heaviest rain in the country. It rained hardest here between one o'clock and five o'clock this morning.

The unusual amount of rain in this vicinity this spring has done considerable damage to the hay crop, much of which has been partially destroyed. Other crops have not been affected so much by the rain as by the cold weather which has also been a hindrance this year. The corn is growing very slowly on account of the low temperature and as it is now too late to replant it, it is probable that the crop will be light, according to reports.

KING VERY WEAK

ATHENS, June 18.—King Constantine's condition was worse today. An official bulletin said the king was "very weak." The greatest anxiety is felt in official circles.

MILAN MADONNA DONS WAR GRAY

MILAN, June 18.—The Little Madonna of the Duoma, atop the famous Milan cathedral, has changed her golden raiment for a dull drab robe. Military authorities ordered the Madonna painted, fearing her golden robes would invite Austrian aerial attacks upon the cathedral.



Slaughter Sale
—OF—
Spring Coats
SATURDAY, 9 A. M.

It will pay you to be here early for first choice. These are all choice Coats — no two alike. Black and white checks, coverts, serges, golfine, cheviots, homespuns and fancies. Coats that sold up to $17.50. Your choice Saturday a. m. at

$7.50
EACH

BASEMENT

We have Picnic Baskets at from .....25c to 55c

Paper Napkins and Paper Plates, per dozen 5c

Glass Vases in the etched and Colonial glass, each from .....25c to $2.00

Jugs at 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50

Work Glass Baskets 75c

Fish Bowls, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1

Candle Sticks, 50c, 75c, $1

Candle Shades 25c, 35c, 75c

Black Enamel Tea Pots at from .....35c to 75c

Aluminum Tea Pots and Coffee Pots, $1.75, $2, $2.50

We have a nice line of Chocolate Sets from $1.50 to $5

Silk Section

New 32 inch Corduroys for skirts, white, and white with black and blue stripes, at yard .....$1.00 and $1.50

Lace Insertion Sale

A fine lot of Torchon Linen and Cotton Insertions, also Val Insertions that sold up to 7c yard. Make nice trimming for summer waists and dresses, Saturday reduced to yard **3c**

Per dozen yards 35c

NEW WAISTS

Wonderful Waist values at $1.00, $1.25, $1.75, $2.50 and $3.50.

HOSE Section

THE LAST WORD IN HOSE AT 50c

Silk, with a lisle back. The lisle supplies the wear, and being all silk on the outside has an all silk appearance. All the colors now in vogue. Green, sand, putty, 4 shades of blue, three shades of gray.



785, that **good wearing** Silk Boot Hose, real lisle in the joints that get hard wear; real silk where it is seen. Black, white and all the shades and it is only **50c** pair. **For wear,** Men's Fibre Hose, now at **25c.**

Barron's

SATURDAY THIS STORE OPENS AT 9 A. M.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

B. V. D. the Real Summer Undsrwear

Cool, roomy, comfortable, light weight. The coolest man in the crowd has B. V. D. on. Nainsook, crepe and madras, at. 85c, $1.00, $1.50

KNIT UNDERWEAR, ATHLETIC STYLE

Munsing knit to fit (and it does). It wears, is soft when washed. The buttons stay on. The suit keeps its shape. Made of lisle thread. We have them at $1.00, $1.50, $2.00

444 is the best Balbriggan Underwear you can find. Shirts or Drawers at each 50c

NIGHTWEAR FOR MEN

The Hotel Night Shirt, made big and roomy, 58 inches long, made full size, made plain, made of a good quality of cambric, soft and cool, at $1.00

Men's light weight Pajamas, made of soisette and dimity, two piece or pa-juion
$1, $1.50, $2.25.
Plain, stripe and check.

PARASOL SECTION

Out of the ordinary shapes and materials in sun shades. Lots of green and also black and white in checks, plaids and stripes. Plain white in linen or cotton. Hemstitched and embroidered. Every parasol new this year.

Ladies' at....$1.25 to $8.00

Misses' at .....60c to $1.50

Children's at ..25c to $1.00

Ladies' 26 inch Rain Umbrella, it is rain proof, light weight taffeta, a big bargain at $1.25

Wash Goods Section

High are finely woven 32 inch imported Japanese Crepes reduced; plain colors and striped, regular 50c and 60c ones reduced for Saturday to yard ..**35c**

Dress Goods Section

Black and White Checks, the popular ones for summer skirts, coats & dresses.

40 and 42 inches wide, at yard ..75c, $1.00 and $1.25

36 inches wide, at per yard **50c**

New Summer Dresses



50 new numbers came today and we put them on sale AT ONCE.

It is astonishing what rapid strides the manufacturers are making in these goods. All the latest models made out of the daintiest fabrics in the most dainty manner. The whole completed sold at about the former cost of making alone. You may come to buy one and find yourself buying two or more when you see them.

Specially priced at

$4.85, $5.75 and $9.75

DEMAND LOWER RATES

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Briefs were filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission today by more than 200 Washington merchants, demanding that rail tariffs be amended so that freight rates between New York and Richmonr, Va., will no longer be lower than rates between New York and Washington.

Age is Not the Cause
of your hair falling out. It is the condition of your scalp.

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic
will destroy the germ which is the cause of this trouble. 50 cents a bottle.
O. T. Erhart.

The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

THE HEART OF ROSE

By ELINOR GALE

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Rose Staples stood in her bedroom window looking down at the pair sitting under the great beech tree.

Her aunt, charming in a cool white gown, was pouring tea for Capt. Garth. The captain's straw hat was on the grass and the sunshine flickered on the silver streaks in his dark hair. Except for the silver hair, one might have taken George Garth to be a very young man, so lithe was his form, so light his step, so youthful his heart.

Rose knew him to be just twice her own age—that was forty.

And Aunt Angela was almost forty and she was so lovely that Rose felt a pang of jealousy as she watched them.

Garth was leaning forward in the wicker chair, his eyes fixed on Angela's fair face. He was talking.

Rose often wondered what topic it was they found so interesting They always grew silent when she approached and they changed the subject to tennis and motoring and the newest books.

"I wonder they don't talk to me about dolls," thought Rose rebelliously.

She glanced into the mirror and saw that her pink linen frock was vastly becoming in combination with brown eyes and bronze-brown hair and golden tipped lashes.

She went out to the tea table and, as she expected, Aunt Angela changed the conversation to the forthcoming society circus at the Country club.

Presently the elder woman excused herself and went into the house.

"Take me to see the roses," suggested Capt. Garth.

"He is bored with me!" thought Rose, but she swallowed her pique and led the way to the rose garden.

When they reached the shade of the pergola the captain turned his handsome blue eyes down upon his companion.

"I would like one rose from the garden," he said in an odd tone.

"One rose?" repeated the girl. "You may a dozen if you wish!" She reached for a cluster of pink ramblers.

But his strong brown hand caught hers and held it close to his heart.

"You are the rose I want," he said gently.

"I?" she faltered, only half understanding.

"You. Is it so incredible that I should love you?" he smiled down at her.

What evil spirit whispered to Rose that perhaps Aunt Angela had refused George Garth and he was offering her his damaged heart?

Surely, he had not made love to Rose according to youth's romantic dreams. His proposal was so sudden and unexpected.

With a throbbing heart Rose pushed him away from her and cried: "Oh, I'm afraid you've made a mistake."

She ran away to her own room and faced her flushed reflection in the glass.

"He has made a mistake," she told herself. "It is Aunt Angela he loves—he is only flirting with me. I hate him!"

Poor Rose, who could not recognize love when it came knocking at her heart!

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There were many months when Capt. Garth did not appear at Pine Grove. His ship was ordered to Asiatic waters and Rose noticed that Aunt Angela frequentl" received foreign-looking letters.

"I was right!" Rose assured herself, but her unruly heart ached for the love she had denied it.

Angela studied the letters closely. Sometimes she smiled over them, and once she hurriedly left the room in tears.

It was all a great mystery to Rose, who lived alone in the big house with Angela. There was much company and music and pleasure, but both aunt and niece seemed to be living under a great strain of anxiety.

June came around again and Angela took to watching the gates.

"She expects him," thought Rose, who knew that he had been ordered home.

One night when the rose garden was fragrant with the incense from a thousand blossoms, the dew was falling and the cool moonlight flooded the open spaces, Rose stepped into the pergola.

At the remote end a man, tall and straight, was standing, and in his arms was Aunt Angela.

"He has come!" thought Rose.

She turned and ran toward the house. Her eyes were blinded by tears and she could scarcely see the way, so that she ran right into the arms of George Garth, who was coming across the lawn.

"Oh!" she cried sharply, "you?"

"I just saw you there—in the pergola—with Aunt Angela."

"Oh, no!" he chuckled. "You saw my brother Charlie. He and Angela have been sweethearts for for years. There was a misunderstanding and Charlie lost himself in the Orient; been exploring Tibet, I believe. I promised Angela I'd try to locate him this time—and I did—brought him home, in fact. He has suffered as well as Angela. I am glad for them."

Rose was still in his arms.

"It is a long time to keep you waiting for one rose," she whispered.

"Not when it's the rose of my heart,' he declared gallantly.

Daddy's Bedtime Story — The Fairies That Slid Down The Moonbeam.



And They Slid Down the Moonbeam.

"NOW to begin with," said daddy, "of course there really are no fairies, you know, except as we fancy them. But there are real moonbeams, and we can just picture those fairies having fun on a moonbeam, and we can make up the oddest little fairy story, Evelyn and Jack, that you ever heard.

"The moonbeam, as you know, is a shaft of golden light that streams down from the moon that rides away up in the sky, ever and ever so far. The moon, as men of science tell us, is a dead world that was once inhabited like ours, maybe, and it moves round and round the earth just as the earth travels round the sun. It gets its radiance from the reflected light of the sun, and that is what gives us the beautiful moonlit nights, don't you see.

"Now, the fairies like to enjoy their play at night. They sleep during the daytime up in the trees or maybe in the soft and velvety heart of a flower. But in the nights they come out to frolic and to play. And how the fairies do enjoy playing on moonlit nights!

"They just caper about in the soft and mellow radiance of the moon, and they dance with their tiny feet and sing with their tiny voices that sound like bells far away, and they have altogether the loveliest times.

"But I must tell you how the fairies found a new sport one moonlit night, one that none of them had ever heard of before. It remained for little Tingletop, one of the prettiest of the fairies, to discover this.

"It happened that streaming down into the glen where the fairies were having their good time was a long, shaky, shivery yellow moonbeam. It was such a lovely moonbeam! It just flowed as smoothly down into that glen as if it were sent there for a purpose, as if it had business there which it meant to do, and after a moment I think you will agree that this was the case.

"'Oh,' cried little Tingletop, 'see that lovely moonbeam! And just the right slant too! It's just the thing!'

"'What do you want to do, Tingletop?' asked the other fairies.

"'Why,' replied Tingletop, 'we can have the most fun in the world. You'll see. Let us slide down that moonbeam. It would be more fun than the human children have with banisters.'

"So they slid down that moonbeam, one after the other, just as hard as they could, and they laughed and shouted and sang in their tinkly voices.

"But all of a sudden," continued daddy solemnly, "a cloud passed over the moon, and out went the moonbeam just as those fairies were away up in the air right in the middle of it."

STOMACH VICTIM PUT BACK ON JOB

Milwaukee Man Finds Quick Way to Escape Misery of Digestive Troubles

William A. Ernst of 1184 Richards street, Milwaukee, was a victim of stomach disorders which made him miserable most of the time. He was often unable to work and he suffered severely.

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"Whys" of Moves in European War

(BY J. W. T. MASON)

NEW YORK, June 18.—The retreat of the Russians from southeastern Galicia into Bessarabia may eventually prove to be the beginning of one of the turning points of the war. The conquest of Bessarabia apparently is being planned by the Teutonic allies as their next step after the freeing of Galicia; and on the success of this new offensive may hang the final attitude of the Balkan states toward the war.

Bessarabia is one of Russia's border provinces. It forms the eastern boundary of Rumania. One-half the population is Rumanian. The rest of the people are of various races and include many Germarn agriculturists. Rumania wants to annex Bessarabia, and has demanded the province from Russia as part of her price for entering the war on the side of the allies. The czar, however, is reluctant to part with any of his territory, and Rumanians claim has not been accepted at Petrograd.

If, however, the Austro-Germans demonstrate an ability to over-run Bessarabia as may possibly happen during the coming summer, any one of three results might follow, capable of exerting important influences on the future of the war. After conquering Bessarabia, the Teutons might offer it to Rumania in exchange for Rumania's benevolent neutrality during the remainder of the war.

The second possibility is that before Bessarabia passes into the possession of the Teutons to do with as they like, Russia, herself, may offer it to Rumania, fearing that any way its loss to the Slavs had become a possibility.

The third, and most serious possibility of all, is that Russia might agree to a separate peace with Austria and Germany rather than part with Bessarabia at all. The Teutonic allies would be willing to guarantee the integrity of the Russian empire if the czar were to agree to withdraw from the war.

Petrograd would be tempted from the western allies if the Constantinople campaign continued to show disappointing results. Under these circumstances, therefore, to carry the war into Bessarabia must now become part of Germany's major strategy.

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EYE SPECIALISTS MEET

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 18.—Eye surgeons from every part of the Pacific coast were here today for the convention of the Oto-Opthalmological society. New methods in the treatment of eye diseases were discussed.

WHELAN SPEAKER

BARABOO, Wis., June 18.— Chas. F. Whelan, national lecturer, was principal speaker at the nineteenth annual picnic of the Modern Woodben of America and Royal Neighbors of the Baraboo valley, here yesterday. Mayor Thuerer delivered the address of welcome. The Baraboo Valley association comprises Elroy, Valley, Hillsboro, Wonewoc, LaValli, Valton, Cazenovia, Reedsburg, Loganville, Lime Riidge, Abliman, North Freedom, Merrimack, Trippville, Kendall, Union Center, Lodi and Baraboo.

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3—Mon	7,630	18—Tues	7,593
4—Tues	7,646	19—Wed	7,606
5—Wed	7,646	20—Thur	7,601
6—Thur	7,638	21—Fri	7,586
7—Fri	7,654	22—Sat	7,576
8—Sat	7,562	23—Sunday	
9—Sunday		24—Mon	7,581
10—Mon	7,596	25—Tues	7,574
11—Tues	7,588	26—Wed	7,576
12—Wed	7,582	27—Thur	7,778
13—Thur	7,596	28—Fri	7,776
14—Fri	7,590	29—Sat	7,782
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I, Frank H. Burgess, business manager of The La Crosse Tribune, do solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of the paper named, printed and circulated during the month of May, 1915, was as above states.

Frank H. Burgess

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1915.

James Thompson

Notary Public.

YOU'LL DO THIS FOR THE EAGLES

The Eagles, in preparing for the entertainment of their state convention, have set an example which it will be as hard as it is laudable for other organizations to imitate when they bring similar gatherings here. The Eagles have made no fuss, and asked no aid, preferring to bear the burden of their hard-working hospitality themselves rather than impose upon the city or any of its organizations outside their ranks. How successfully they have worked may be read in the announcement that 51 cities will send delegates to the convention, that ten bands are coming, that 12,000 to 15,000 visitors will attend.

This much the Eagles have done without asking any help—except a request that the city decorate the city hall and fire station. Now they have come to a place where they need help, and in view of the yeoman service Aerie No. 1254 is doing for the city, it is to be hoped that help will be forthcoming in generous measure.

The request is a modest one. They want the use of about 100 motor cars for two hours Tuesday afternoon to take visiting delgates on a tour of the city.

How about it? Can they count on your car?

PEACE STILL IS A DISTANT PROSPECT

Hope that out of the German-American controversy may come general peace negotiations probably is unfounded. Indeed, all hope of peace now is premature.

There are two distinct phases of the war. One is involved in the question of whether the Austro-German alliance can whip the remainder of Europe, and England. The other is whether England and her European allies can whip Germany and Austria.

We are nearing the solution of the former question. For two weeks, following the entrance of Italy into the war, Germany has been striking her heaviest blows by land, sea and air. To effectuate this a heavy draft has been made upon her last line of reserves, and her resources have been taxed further toward the limit that, somewhere, exists.

Today we find the following situation:

Germany holds most of Belgium, including an important strip of seacoast; a long strip of northeast France; a considerable portion of Russian Poland and territory in the Baltic provinces.

The allies maintain a slight foothold in Alsace and Lorraine, some Austrian territory in Galicia and more as a result of the Italian invasion, and the German colonies in Africa and the far east.

The territorial conquests about balance as to area, but Germany has the advantage because of the immensely greater value of her conquests in Belgium and France.

On the sea German victories are of sentimental importance, but have not made serious inroads upon the allies' merchant shipping. The air raids are not of serious consequences.

In other words, the situation is now a practical deadlock. The acquisition of Belgium is the one German achievement that may be considered as a contribution to her "place in the sun," and to offset this there is her loss of the spots in the sun represented by her lost colonies.

It would seem, therefore, that with all her valor, military skill, resources and national patriotism, Germany cannot conquer the allies.

Germany knows more about this than does the rest of the world, and the feelers sent out from Berlin suggesting the possibility of mediation through the United States, seems to verify the conclusion that now, while he holds a slight advantage, the kaiser would meet a peace proposition half way. But the allies are not ready for peace. They will not be ready until the second question, that of their ability eventually to conquer Germany, is settled.

It is to this end that the allies have been prosecuting the war. Theirs has been largely a business of killing men. With population overwhelmingly on their side, they feel they can stand the strain of trading two soldiers for one in battle, and still win. The seemingly futile struggle on the Russian frontier has really served the purpose of the allies well. They have not figured the Russian dead as important, for these can be replaced from the hordes of Russian population. It is the dead and crippled Germans and Austrians that interest the allies. Through this process of trading soldiers they hope to reach the end of Germany's fighting population while there yet are millions of fighting men at the command of the allies.

England's assertion that talk of mediation at this time is empty gossip no doubt represents the attitude of the allies. They propose to keep whittling away at the German population, paying whatever toll of their own soldiers is necessary, until they so weaken the Teutonic giant that he must succumb to a last desperate assault.

It means a long struggle. With the odds against her, Germany still is formidable. Her resources are far from exhausted, and the resourcefulness of her people is never exhausted. The neutral world may as well shape its affairs for at least one more year of war. In a year either the German resistance will have worn away or the allies will have sustained punishment which will render them willing to call it a draw. Then we shall have peace.

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Note.—The combined population of Germany, Austria and Turkey, at the beginning of the war, was 136,000,000. That of the British empire, France, Russia, Italy and Belgium was 686,000,000. Although Indian troops are taking part in the war, much of the colonial population of the allies cannot be regarded as available fighting strength. When the necessary deductions are made, the relative fighting strength of the warring alliances may be safely estimated upon the following populations:

Germany, Austria and Turkey 136,000,000
The allies 312,000,000

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

The Red Crooss Nurse

The country lanes are stained with red
More scarlet than the kiss of frost,
And one leads from the field of dead
Where raging battle lines are tossed
Above the screaming shrapnel's rain
It flees in horror of the plain.

The fragrant hill of dusty green
Infolds its path with pitying leaves,
Compassionate the dim woods lean
As the pale moon her magic weaves,
Compassionate the gray church waits
A crypt of peace within her gates.

Along the faintly echoing aisles
The stricken lie in silent lines;
Caressingly a woman smiles
Above them where the Red Cross shines.
Sweet consolation's brimming bowl
She pours for every anguished soul.

The English lad with sunny hair,
See how she soothes him into sleep;
And then she croons a German air
To a brave Uhlan wounded deep.
The Briton's brow she softly laves
While, flaming, he of battle raves.

And so the long night passes on,
The guttering candles faint and die.
As dawn comes, somber-eyed and wan,
The booming cannon rend the sky;
Yet calmly white above the curse
Moves tenderly the Red Cross nurse.

The Christ, it has been said, appears,
To men whose need is sore for Him.
Behold the crimson cross that cheers
The sick below the altar dim;
Dawn brightens fast and terror hides,
For here the Lord of Peace abides.
—Florence R. Mastin in Leslie's.

Her Foreign Catch

"I've just had a queer telegram from my daughter.

"What's wrong with it?"

"I don't know. Here it is. I'll read it to you: 'Zimersogoliamnovdfhjkptu-wxy?'"

"What on earth do you suppose it means?"

"Why, it either means that the wires are crossed or else she's engaged to a Russian nobleman."

We've Seen 'Em, Though

An old lady was gazing at illustrations on the fashion page. "Suggestions for the summer girl's wardrobe! Humph! They are all right for the wardrobe, but they ain't for the street!"

His Argument Good

While on parade a colonel noticed a careless man to have have very muddy heels, while the remainder of his attire was in keeping with military propriety.

"Corporal Moriarity," said the chief, "you have very muddy heels."

"Yes, colonel, a good soldier never looks behind him."

Their Only Alternative

After trying unsuccessfully to open the larder door one small boy turned to his brother and said:

"It's no use, Jim; not one of these keys will fit it."

"All right, then," said Jim, resignedly; "all we can do is wait until mamma comes home and ask her for something for being good boys."

Feared Same Menu

"We were slowly starving to death," remarked the famous explorer at the boarding house table, "but we cut up our boots and made soup of them, and thus sustained life."

"Sh-h-h! Not so loud!" exclaimed the dyspeptic boarder. "The landlady might hear you."—Puck.

Maybe It Was

The angry citizen puffed into the office of the city editor.

"See here, sir," he yelled, "what do you mean by publishing my resignation from my political office in this way?"

"You gave the story out yourself, didn't you?" asked the editor.

"Of course I did," replied the angry citizen. "But your fool paper prints it under the head of public improvements."

September Morn Fire

In setting forth an incident of local heroism a country paper reporter finished up neatly:

"As he flung the blazing oil stove out the window, Mr. Perkins stumbled over a chair and sat down amidst some ignited shavings on the floor the flame from which caught his clothes. By quick action and a ready wit he escaped with his life, but his trousers were burned almost beyond recognition." — Everybody's Magazine.

Why He Complained

Interested Old Gentleman—Yes, but if you won all those marbles from the other little boy you have no cause to complain.

The Winner—Boo hoo! Dey ain't marbles; dey's moth balls.

Not Nonplussed

She—No, Mr. Simpson, I'm sorry but I wouldn't marry the best man living.

He—No! Well, at any rate, you'll have the satisfaction of knowing that he offered himself.

It is possible to cultivate a mean disposition without developing the artistic temperament.

THE USE OF SOAP SPOILS THE HAIR

Soap should be used very sparingly, if at all, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulsified cocoanut oil (which is pure and greaseless), is cheaper and better than soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified cocoanut oil at any pharmacy, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

BIG EATERS GET KIDNEY TROUBLE

Take Salts at first sign of Bladder irritation or Backache

The American men and women must guard constantly against Kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

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LOVE INSURANCE

A COMEDY ROMANCE

By Earl Derr Biggers

Author of Seven Keys To Baldpate.

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Mr. Thacker wheeled dramatically and faced his young assistant.

"Richard," he ordered, "go to San Marco. Go to San Marco and see to it that Miss Cynthia Meyrick does not change her mind."

A gone feeling shot through Mr. Minot in the vicinity of his stomach. It was possible that he really needed that lunch.

"Yes, sir," he said faintly. "Of course, it's up to me to do anything you say. If you insist, I'll go, but—"

"But what, Richard?"

"Isn't it a rather big order? Women—aren't they like an—er—April afternoon—or something of that sort? It seems to me I've read they were—in books."

"Humph," snorted Mr. Thacker. "Is your knowledge of the ways of women confined to books?"

A close observer might have noted the ghost of a smile in Mr. Minot's clear blue eyes.

"In part, it is," he admitted. "And then again—in part, it isn't."

"Well, put away your books, my boy," said Mr. Thacker. "A nice, instructive little vacation has fallen on you from heaven. Mad old Jephson here must be saved from himself. That wedding must take place—positively, rain or shine. I trust you to see that it does, Richard."

Mr. Minot rose and stepped over to his hat and coat.

"I'm off for San Marco," he announced blithely. His lips were firm but smiling. "The land of sunshine and flowers—and orange blossoms or I know the reason why."

"Jephson trusts Harrowby," said Mr. Thacker. "All very well. But just the same if I were you I'd be aboard that yacht tonight when it leaves New York harbor. Invited or uninvited."

"I must ask," put in Mr. Jephson hurriedly, "that you do nothing to embarrass Lord Harrowby in any way."

"No," said Thacker. "But keep an eye on him, my boy. A keen and busy eye."

"I will," agreed Mr. Minot. "Do I look like Cupid, gentlemen? No? Ah—it's the overcoat. Well, I'll get rid of that in Florida. I'll say good-by—"

He shook hands with Jephson and with Thacker.

"Good-by, Richard," said the latter. "I'm really fond of old Jephson here. He's been my friend in need—he mustn't lose. I trust you, my boy."

"I won't disappoint you," Dick Minot promised. A look of seriousness flashed across his face. "Miss Cynthia Meyrick changes her mind only over my dead body."

He paused for a second at the door, and his eyes grew suddenly thoughtful.

"I wonder what she's like?" he murmured.

Then, with a smile toward the two men left behind, he went out and down that stenographer-bordered lane to San Marco.

CHAPTER II.

An Evening in the River.

Though San Marco is a particularly gaudy tassel on the fringe of the tourist's South, it was to the north that Mr. Richard Minot first turned. One hour later he made his appearance amid the gold braid and dignity of the Plaza lobby.

The young man behind the desk—an exquisite creature done in Charles Dana Gibson's best manner—knew when to be affable. He also knew when not to be affable. Upon Mr. Minot he turned the cold fishy stare he kept for such as were not guests under his charge.

"What is your business with Lord Harrowby?" he inquired suspiciously.

"Since when," asked Mr. Minot brightly, "have you been in his lordship's confidence?"

This was the young man's cue to wince. But hotel clerks are notoriously poor winners.

"It is customary—" he began with perfect poise.

"I know," said Mr. Minot. "But then, I'm a sort of a friend of his lordship."

"A sort of a friend?" How well he lifted his eyebrows!

"Something like that. I believe I'm to be best man at his wedding."

Ah, yes; that splendid young man knew when to be affable. Affability swamped him now.

"Boy!" he cried. "Take this gentleman's card to Lord Harrowby."

A bell-boy in a Zenda uniform accepted the card, laid it upon a silver tray, glued it down with a large New York thumb, and strayed off down gilded corridors shouting, "Lord Harrowby."

Whereat all the pretty little debutantes who happened to be decorating the scene at the moment felt their pampered hearts go pit-a-pat and, closing their eyes, saw visions and dreamed dreams.

Lord Harrowby was at luncheon, and sent word for Mr. Minot to join him. Entering the gay dining-room, Minot saw at the far end the blond and noble head he sought. He threaded his way between the tables. Although he was an unusually attractive young man, he had never experienced anything like the array of stares turned upon him ere he had gone ten feet. "What the devil's the matter?" he asked himself. "I seem to be the cynosure of neighboring eyes, and then some." He did not dream that it was because he was passing through a dining-room of democrats to grasp the hand of a lord.

"My dear fellow, I'm delighted, I assure you—" Really, Lord Harrowby's face should have paid closer attention to his words. Just now it failed ignominiously in the matter of backing them up.

"Thank you," Mr. Minot replied. "Your lordship is no doubt surprised at seeing me so soon—"

"Well—er—not at all. Shall I order luncheon?"

"No, thanks. I had a bite on the way up." And Mr. Minot dropped into the chair which an eager waiter held ready. "Lord Harrowby, I trust you are not going to be annoyed by what I have to tell you."

His lordship's face clouded, and worry entered the mild blue eyes.

"I hope there's nothing wrong about the policy."

"Nothing whatever, Lord Harrowby, Mr. Jephson trusts you—implicitly."

"So I perceived this morning. I was deeply touched."

"It was—er—touching." Minot smiled a bit synically. "Understanding as you do how Mr. Jephson feels toward you, you will realize that it is in no sense a reflection on you that our office, viewing this matter in a purely business light, has decided that some one must go to San Marco with you. Some one who will protect Mr. Jephson's interests."

"Your office," said his lordship, reflecting. "You mean Mr. Thacker, don't you?"

Could it be that the fellow was not so slow as he seemed?

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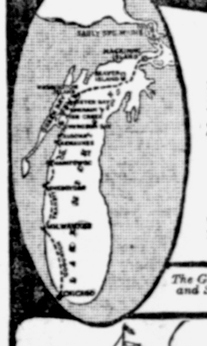
NEW STEEL PLANT

NEW YORK, June 18.—Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the board of directors of the United States Steel company, announced yesterday that the company intended establishing a new plant near Pittsburgh to cost from $2,500,000 to $3,000,000. The plant will be used for the manufacture of zinc and bi-products.

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HAGENBECK-WALLACE SHOW ARRIVES TO TUNE OF EIGHT BANDS, TWO BIG CALLIOPES AND LEATHER-LUNGED BALLYHOO

With bands trumpeting, clowns shouting, lions roaring and red wagons rumbling, the gorgeous and fantastic street pageant of the Carl Hagenbeck-Wallace circus passed over the downtown streets of La Crosse this morning while thousands lined the streets, curbing and crowded office windows in an effort to get a glimpse of the parade. What they saw and heard was not disappointing. It was one of the biggest and best street parades ever seen in the city, say old inhabitants.

The thousands who lined the streets and curbing and crowded offdiately preceding the parade the usual small army of balloon peddlers did an imense business. Some one said: "Here she comes!" and in the far distance could be seen the trumpeters and just behind the band wagon with the musicians fiddling as only circus musicians can.

Eighteen Nationalities

Nearly eighteen nationalities were represented in the pageant; music of their native land was played on fife, cymbal, tom toms, drums and harps. Eight military bands yielded circus melodies and there were two immense steam calliopes which played such tunes as "Back to the Carolina I Love," "When You Wore a Tulip," etc. There were upwards of a hundred mounted knights and ladies in costumes of court.

The Carl Hagenbeck-Wallace circus reached La Crosse this morning before daylight. The three long trains of yellow cars were shunted into convenient sidings of the Milwaukee railroad yards and soon the work of unloading began. As fast as the great red and yellow wagons were rolled from the flat cars, teams of powerful draft horses hauled them to the circus grounds. The first wagon to be unloaded was the one containing the immense steel cooking ranges, which was followed by the refrigerator and other wagons pertaining to the cook house.

On the circus grounds the tents began to nose their way into the air like some Aladdin-like palace. The cook tents and canvas hotels were erected first, for food must await the hungry army of showmen on the way. Breakfast was ready at 7 o'clock for the workingmen and the menu was something like this: Grape fruit, cereals, eggs, ham, bacon, coffee, milk and griddle cakes. Jimmy Davis, the circus chef, said that nearly 3,000 of the sizzling cakes were served for breakfast. The dining tents for the performers, musicians and members of the executive staff remained open until after 9 o'clock.

Pullmans for All

In the railroad yards the work of unloading the trains went forward without halts. Connecting each flat car was a little steel bridge and at the end of the long line of flats was a steel runway, on which the wagons rolled to the ground. Every workingman with the Carl Hagenbeck-Wallace circus is supplied with a Pullman berth according to the management.

At the circus grounds thousands flocked about to watch the marvelous business system which prevailed. Towering center poles were pulled into the air by teams of horses. The little steam stake driver hummed merrily. Over in the circus barber shop the barbers found no idle moments.

In the library tent were many performers reading the daily newspapers and magazines. One little English girl was writing to her brother now at the front in France with the allies. Some of the women of the circus found time after breakfast to do a little knitting for the soldiers.

School Opens at 9

The circus school taught by Billy Hart, a veteran clown, opened promptly at 9 o'clock. Enrolled were eighteen children connected with the show. Some of them are sons and daughters of performers, while several are daughters of circus officials. The curriculum ranges from the beginners' class to Greek and calculus.

Within three hours after the arrival of the first baggage wagon on the show grounds the once barren lot was transferred into a hustling and bustling city of tents. The great arena tent, 540 feet in length and among the largest stretches of canvas ever built, was erected by 10 o'clock. Then hosts of workingmen began to erect the seats and the immense steel girded arena, which houses the Carl Hagenbeck-Wallace trained wild animals.

Doors Open at 1

It was shortly after 1 o'clock when the doors to the Carl Hagenbeck menagerie were opened. An hour was allotted for the inspection of one of the greatest traveling zoos in the world. Preceding the performance by thirty minutes an operatic concert was rendered by Prof. R. C. Jack's military band of 42 soloists.

The big show began shortly after 2 o'clock. Among a few of the most famous of the 400 performers listed on the program were: Oscar Lowande, the peerless English bareback rider; the Cottrell-Powell troupe of society equestrians; the Ledgetts and Miss Dallie Julian. Among the aerialists were the Six Flying Wards with Harry Ward, the triple somersaulter; as well as the Sisters La Tow and scores of others. The Eugene family of nine acrobats are making their first appearance in America as well as the Freehand brothers and the Deirick trio. The clown contingent numbers fifty and was headed by such buffoons as Eddie DeFoe, Arthur Borella, Harvey Johnson, Lon Moore, Fred Egener and others including a Charley Chaplin, jester.

The Carl Hagenbeck trained wild animals number several hundred and appear in an immense steel arena. There are more than 36 trained bears with the circus together with educated lions, tigers, pumas, jaguars and other species of wild animals.

Another performance will be given by the Hagenbeck-Wallace circus tonight. The doors will be opened at 7 o'clock and the performance will begin an hour later. A downtown ticket agency is in operation at the Young-Boerner drug store. The circus will depart shortly after midnight for Eau Claire, where two performances will be given tomorrow.



LANSING PIONEER DIES AT DUBUQUE

Mrs. Peter Rachor Passes Away Monday in Hospital; Funeral Thursday

LANSING, Iowa, June 18.—(Special.)—Mrs. Peter Rachor died at a Dubuque hospital Monday, after an illness of several weeks from valvular heart trouble. She was a life long resident of this section. Born at Lycurgus in 1855 she was married to Peter Rachor in 1877. She is survived by six children, her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Hass, and seven sisters. Funeral services were conducted from Immaculate Conception church, Thursday morning, and the burial was made in Gethsemane.

Mrs. Rufus Carroll, Miss C. M. Roggensack and Miss Margaret Ryan were hostesses to the W. C. O. F. at Mrs. Carroll's home Wednesday night. Cards were played and refreshments were served.

Lansing's delegates to the distrfct Christian Endeavor convention held at West Union, Tuesday and Wednesday, are returning home with many honors. Delinda Roggansack's talk was wonderful, and Carl Bechtel's paper on "Vital Christian Living," was one of the best of the session. Miss Roggensack was named district secretary, and in the scripture text test she won first place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Piers went to Minneapolis the first of the week for the annual vacation visit of a few days, later leaving for Wisconsin, where they will join their son, Harry, whose vacation occurs at the same time. They will return to Lansing about June 25.

Mrs. Will Gelo entertained at a four course dinner Wednesday evening, the guest of honor being Miss Isabelle Whitbecker, of St. Paul.

Mrs. L. O. Ruud entertained a company of friends and relatives on Thursday afternoon on the occasion of her birthday anniversary.

Mrs. W. E. Albert left Wednesday for a visit with relatives at Glenwood, Minn.

Sidney Pierce, formerly of Lansing, now of Beresford, S. D., is a welcome visitor with friends and relatives here.

Commencement exercises of Immaculate Conception school, were well attended, and were given perfectly. The class play, "Kathlyn, or the Cost of a Promise," was presented with the ability of professionals, and clearly demonstrated the talent to be found among the younger element of the city.

Mrs. Esther Broghammer, son LaVelle, and sister, Miss Mamie Aird, arrived from Dubuque to be present at the graduation of their sister, Miss Zieta, Tuesday and will remain for a visit of some time at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Aird.

Mrs. George Markley pleasantly surprised her sister, Mrs. Scherhoitz, by her arrival from her home in North Dakota, Tuesday, for a brief visit. She returned today.

Mrs. Bert Christianson and granddaughter, Lois, of DesMoines, left on Wednesday for a visit with Waukon relatives.

Miss Elsie Saam, a teacher in the Minneapolis schools, is at home for the summer vacation.

The moonlight excursion scheduled to leave here next Monday evening, will be held as announced. The "Orient" will be chartered to tow the barge "Mississippi" if the Frontenac is not afloat by then.

Dr. J. H. Thornton and wife are visitors in Chicago, attending the commencement exercises of Rush Medical college, where their son, John, is in the graduating class.

Miss Kathryn Joyre of Wexford, spent several days in Lansing recently with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are guests of their daughter, Mrs. J. S. Cameron.

Julius Boeckh and family returnred from Minneapolis on Tuesday, following the graduation of the Misses Bernice and Martha, last week from the state university. Both young ladies have secured excellent positions. The former will teach in Harmon, Minn., and the latter will be a member of the Postville high school faculty. Both will be instructors in domestic science.

Miss Isabelle Whitbecker terminated a short visit with Lansing relatives Thursday, returning to her home at St. Paul.

Mesdames Tillottson, Cunningham and Maxwell were New Albin visitors on Wednesday.

Miss Eva Fitzpatrick has returned after a two months' stay at St. Francis hospital at La Crosse. Her condition is materially improved.

Otto Denning has purchased the Francis Hess building on Main street ocupied by the Guider Ice Cream parlor, the consideration being $4,100.

John Noll of Waukon was a recent business caller in the city.

An old fashioned barn dance at the Thomas Litteher farm in Lafayette, brought out a large delegation from Lansing to the festivities. All in attendance from this point report an unusually good time.

The annual musical festival and chautauqua are billed for July 8 to 13 and the city will be in holiday attire for the occasion.

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ICE HOUSES BURN

MADISON, Wis., June 18.—Fire yesterday afternoon completely destroyed the Conklin ice storage houses on East Johnson street. Loss $25,000. It is believed this will cause an ice famine here this summer, as most of the city's ice supply was stored in the houses destroyed.

WELLING AND AD MATCHED FOR GO

CHICAGO, June 18.—Joe Welling, one of Chicago's aspiring young lightweights, and former Champion Ad Wolgast will clash in a ten round bout at Benton Harbor, Mich., the afternoon of July 5.

PLOVER FINE FLYER

There is an aerial machine far more economical of energy than the best aeroplane invented, and that is the bird known as the golden plover. This bird, according to department bulletin No. 185 on "Bird Migration," can fly 2,400 miles without a stop, making the trip not quite 48 hours, and using only two ounces of fuel in the shape of body fat. A thousand-pound aeroplane, if as economical of fuel, would consume in a 20-mile flight not the gallon of gasoline required by the best machines but only one pint. The fact that the screw propeller of the aeroplane has no lost motion, while the to-and-fro motion of the bird's wings appears to be an uneconomical way of applying power makes the fact regarding fuel seem even more strange.

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NO MORE IS THE "DIN OF BATTLE"

Old Picture of Warfare Is Inadequate to Describe Existing Conditions

BY WILBUR S. FORREST
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

LONDON, May 26.—(By Mail to New York.)—That old expression, "the din of battle" is dead.

It's a blatter and crash, a spit and screech, and "hell let loose" doesn't half describe the noise of combined rifle, machine gun shell fire and bombs in this day and age, said a soldier back from the battlefield of northern France today.

"If anyone could properly describe a modern battle Dante's picture of Inferno would represent peace in contrast," he added, explaining the sounds that the modern soldier's ear has come to recognize.

"German fire sounds different from the British and there are a thousand different individual sounds to break the stillness. Distant individual fire represents the patting of clay with a spade; distant rapid reminds one of the purring of a powerful motor car. The German bullet "cracks" and the British sounds like the bursting of a soft paper bag. Sometimes a German bullet richocheting in the sand "bizzes;" sometimes its lighting flight sounds like a man half whistling, half hissing through his teeth. Glancing off metal it "pings" then "screeches" until it stops. Passing close by a bullet gives a "crack" and it may deafen the nearest ear for days. Like their rifle shots the German machine guns sound less muffled than the British. They sound like the infinitely swift rapping of a door knocker. Ours might be likened to a carpet being beaten by very dexterous and energetic spring cleaners armed with canes.

Combating Squeaks

"The sounds of shell fire are varied. The German's "pipe squeak" and sometimes scream "Little Willie" High explosive shells are fickle; some times they burst with a blinding flash and little sound and again they crack lige thunderbolt. Some shells "whirtle" and some pass through the air like moaning wind. Anti-aircraft guns "ping-ping" and the bursting of their shrapnel most often "clatters,"; but if it is lyddite it crashes like a collapsing brick smoke stack.

"Night sounds in the trenches are many and varied. A sentry's strained ears may catch the sound of shoveling with spades and the tap of a mallet on wooden stakes. This comes when the enemy's trench is near and denotes that he is driving a sap, digging an advanced trench, or constructing wire entanglements. Sometimes comes the whir of a dynamo. It is a sure sign that the enemy is working an electrical trench digger. If the trenches are close one may hear the movements of enemy reliefs and reinforcements behind their line. It is generally possible to hear sounds of guns or transport being moved. On a quiet night this sound is audible for miles. It's the same with the human voice. The sentry is sometimes greeted with good English from German trenches or with a song. The strange sacred cries of flying lapwings, the mewing of hoeless cats and the whining of dogs are but few of the wierd sounds that greet the lonely sentry at night. The novice has often been rudely scared by the snoring song of a soldier-pal at peace with the whole world, the Germans included.

Helped by Everybody.

Every great man is always being helped by everybody, for his gift is to get good out of all things and all persons.—Ruskin.

SKY BATTLES WILL STARTLE WORLD IS LONDON CONTENTION

Great Fleet of British Air Craft Expected Soon to Fight for Air Supremacy

LONDON, June 18.—Sky battles on a scale the world has never dreamed of will lend a new thrill to the European war spectacle before many weeks.

Within the past six months, aeroplane factories here and in the United States have been turning out scores of biplanes designed to give England supremacy in the skies. Publication of this fact was not permitted until the formal announcement from the war office in the house of commons Wednesday. It was learned yesterday that the British air fleet now comprises 2,500 biplanes and monoplanes, and about fifty dirigibles, equipped for bomb hurling raids.

Germans Working Hard

To challenge Great Britain's superiority in the skies, German aeroplane and dirigible factories have been working overtime since last September. Zeppelins have been turned out as rapidly as they could be manufactured at the Friedrichshaven factory, but the German admiralty, according to reports received here has placed less reliance on aeroplanes for battle purposes and now has less than 2,000 Taubes to meet the English attacks in the air. Many of these are in use along the Russian battle front for scouting purposes.

For Offense and Defense

Great Britain's fleet of 2,500 aeroplanes and seaplanes was recruited partly for defensive and partly for offensive action. Despite the admission from the admiralty that forty persons were killed by Zeppelins on the northeast coast on June 6 and June 15, it is the belief here that the aeroplane defense of London and other large cities is so nearly perfect that the Zeppelins will never be able to reach central districts.

While part of the nation's air forces will continue to patrol the coast to meet dirigibles, it is understood here that several flotillas are shortly to join the French, who have been making successful raids on German ammunition factories and chemical works. Dispatches received here recently said that several ammunition factories at Karlsruhe were destroyed in the recent French raid and that more than 200 persons were killed, including a number of guards at the ammunition works.

The Russian Skiorsky biplane, after which some of the new English machines are reported to be modeled, has done heavy damage along the German front in Poland. Because of its size and its capacity for carrying explosives the Slavs have named it the "flya-mourometz" after a fabulous Russian giant.

The Power of Toxins.

One thousandth of a gram of tetanus (lockjaw) toxin is enough to kill a horse weighing 1,300 pounds or six hundred million times its weight. More remarkable still, one-thousandth of a milligram of tubercular toxin will produce action on a man weighing 132 pounds—sixty trillion times its weight.

Teacher's Duty to Pupil.

It is the teacher's duty to furnish inspiration and enthusiasm, to set the pupil thinking along right lines, to put him in the way of finding out things for himself. If you can do this, much of the definite, practical working out of problems may be left for the home.—Normal Instruction.

"THE CHRISTIAN" AT MAJESTIC

"The Christian" is the best acting film ever made. Edith Storey, as Glory Quayle, gives a vivid impersonation of Viola Allen's greatest part.

Her performance will stand comparison with the best dramatic star. She is splendid, artistic and wonderful. Earle Williams, in portraying John Storm,—a type of man who is almost a religious fanatic, accomplishes equally brilliant work as Miss Storey. It is the best of the many great performances he has given the screen. In their support is the finest cast of Vitagraph stars ever seen in one picture.

This master production of Hall Caine's "The Christian" went over big at the Majestic yesterday and its there for today and Saturday.

BIDS FOR SPANISH RAILROAD

WASHINGTON, June 18.—The U. S. Consul at Madrid announces that for the next year bids will be received by the Spanish government for the building of a railroad to connect Madrid and Valencia.

HERE'S MARSHAL VON HINDENBURG WITH SAXON KING AT FRONT



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ASSEMBLYMAN MAY LOSE EYE AS RESULT OF FROLIC IN HOUSE

MADISON, Wis., June 18.—(Special.)—Assemblyman D. J. Vincent of Kenosha county may lose an eye as a result of a friendly "rough house" held in the assembly Wednesday night. A call of the house was ordered at 10:30 during the night session while the fight on the waterpower measure was at its height. While the house was waiting for the sergeant's force to round up the absent members, the members started a general melee. They sang songs, staged foot races up and down the corridors, and had a baseball game in front of the speaker's chair. Assemblyman Frederick, "The Fighting Parson," was hit on the head with a copy of the statutes.

He picked it up, took a good look around the room, and picked out Assemblyman Vincent as the culprit. He shot it at the Kenosha representative like a 42 centimeter shell. In dodging it, Mr. Vincent hit the corner of a marble decoration on the wall. He staggered back and when friends reached him his right eye was nearly hanging out of his head. Upon examination by a physician, it was found that the eyeball was broken. It is hoped that the eye can be saved.

Assemblyman Frederick was heartbroken over the incident. Resolutions of condolence were introduced in the assembly for Mr. Vincent yesterday.

SAFE CARRIERS GET YEAR

ANTIGO, Wis., June 18.—Edward and Joseph Holly, brothers, who stole a 900 pound safe from the Krause & Kostka saloon a week ago, and carried it five blocks, got one year each in Waupun prison for their pains today.

HARTWELL VISITS A. F. L. OFFICIALS ON RUBBER STRIKE

Is Expected to Return from Conference with Gompers and Other Labor Heads Sunday

Fred H. Hartwell, attorney for the locked-out employes of the La Crosse Rubber Mills, is in Washington today, conferring with Samuel Gompers, president, and other officials of the American Federation of Labor, in regard to the local situation. Word to this effect was received at his office today. Mr. Hartwell is expected home Sunday from the conference.

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SENATORS CONDEMN EFFICIENCY BUREAU

Bosshard's Committee Finds the University Research Outfit Against Public Policy

ORGANIZED BY SURVEY WORKERS

Inquiry Reports Activities Were Influenced by Plan for Central Bureau of Information

MADISON, Wis., June 18.—(Special.)—The report of the special senate committee, appointed to investigate the Wisconsin Efficiency Bureau, and the publication, "Everybody's business," issued by it, was made to the state senate this morning.

The following conclusions are reached by the committee, composed of Senators Bosshard, chairman, Monk and Huber:

1. The Wisconsin Efficiency Bureau is in fact an organization which issues publications designed to influence public opinion and legislation on important matters, without disclosing the names of its owners, promoters, managers or contributors. Sound public policy demands the condemnation of such procedure.

2. It has for its main purpose the exploiting and making public of normal school and university surveys, and the advocacy of some kind of a bureau of information.

Should Be Separate

3. Sound public policy demands the complete separation of work of investigation of any state institution, and any form of commercializing such investigation.

The present employment of Dr. W. H. Allen and A. N. Farmer, directors of the university and normal schools surveys, and found to be connected with the Wisconsin Efficiency bureau, comes in for sharp comment.

W. H. Allen, now employed in the office of the governor, is shown to have been one of the chief inspiring forces of the bureau, either soliciting or suggesting the contribution of $1,220 out of a fund of $1,-254.75 collected by the bureau.

The chief contributors to the bureau are shown to be: Walter Stern, Milwaukee, member Bernard Stern & Sons, also member of the Merchants & Manufacturers' association, $750; T. J. Neacy, Milwaukee, member of the Manufacturers' association and president of Taxpayers' league collecter, $100; Margaret Friend, Milwaukee, $200; Margaret Medbury, Fond du Lac, $70; Helen Purcell, Platteville, $5 or a total of $1,-225.

Twenty-nine dollars and seventy-five cents was realized from sale of summaries of survey.

The money collected by Mr. Neacy was turned over to Judge Paul D. Carpenter, counsel for the Merchants and Manufacturers association, who sent the money to Dr. Allen for the use of the bureau.

Organizers Former "Surveyors"

The organizers of the bureau are shown to have been former employes of one of the surveys conducted at the expense of the state. They are L. M. Wilson, Richland Center; Walter Matschek, university student, in whose room the office is located; Miss Janet Rankin, River Falls; Agnes Grady, Madison; David Barg, Madison; Matschek seems to be the dummy officer in the bureau, being president, secretary, treasurer, and present editor of the publication.

"According to the testimony," says the report, "the inspiration for the publication was drawn largely from Dr. Allen and A. N. Farmer."

The report of the committee calls attention to the fact that provision was made for the employment of A. N. Farmer by the normal school board, two months before he completed his survey. Mention is made of the "co-operative" character of the surveys of both the normal school and the university. In the case of the university co-operation does not appear, but in the case of the normal school "the theory of co-operation seems to have worked better, although it is clouded by the theory of a bureau of information, and the employment of the investigator at a salary of $4,000 a year."

Influenced by Plan

"The use," says the report, "which the bureau has made of the university survey suggests that the form substance and methods of such survey, were strongly influenced by the philosophy and plan of a great central bureau of information; that such survey contemplated a continuous investigation of the educational and other activities of the state government."

The survey itself of the university is criticized for giving a great mass of facts, which need a new bureau to interpret, instead of giving broad general conclusions.

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HURT AT GAS PLANT

Adolph Rhine, member of a construction crew at the gas works of the Wisconsin-Minnesota Light & Power company, had his left leg fractured below the knee this noon when the timbers broke as he was lowering a tank into a pit. He was removed to the St. Francis hospital, where he is being attended by Dr. G. J. Egan.

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FIERCE FIGHT FOR LEMBERG STARTS IS BERLIN CLAIM

Two Huge Austro-German Armies Understood to Be Massing Before Grodek

BERLIN, via Wireless to London, June 18.—The first great battle for Lemberg is about to begin. Two large Austro-German armies are massing before Grodek, fifteen miles west of the city, one moving eastward along the Przemysl railway and the other pressing down from the northwest through Javorof.

The war office this afternoon confirmed Vienna reports that the enemy has retired behind strong entrenchments in the Grodek lake region. Bombardment of these works, constituting the outer defenses of Lemberg, began early yesterday.

Mackenzen Successful

Northwest of Lemberg, Mackenzen's left wing has inflicted a crushing defeat on the Russian right. The Slav force that occupied Rudnik several days ago has been driven back several miles across the Russian frontier and is in disorderly retreat through the Russian town of Tarnogrod.

Bavarian troops have crossed the Russian border and have penetrated five miles beyond the frontier. On both sides of Tarnogrod they are massing the retreating Slavs who are falling back upon the River Tanef.

Russians Isolated

It is apparent that the Austro-Germans have isolated the Russians to the north, to the south and to the southeast, which, of course, means as well as the isolation of the army actually before Lemberg.

The battle of Lemberg, therefore, may become the most spectacular in its results of any previous engagement of the war.

CHARLES SINCLAIR DIES IN THE EAST

Charles Sinclair, aged 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sinclair, former residents of La Crosse, died at a hospital at New Bedford, Mass., Wednesday night, according to a brief message received by Mrs. M. E. Kelly, 631 State street.

The young man was well known here. His father was a member of the fire department from the time it was a volunteer brigade.

Mrs. A. J. Evenson, 1427 George street, and Miss Katherine Kelly, 631 State street, cousins of the young man, left this morning for Chicago, where funeral services will be held tomorrow. The body will arrive in Chicago tonight.

ANONYMOUS REFORMER WANTS HIS HONOR TO CHANGE DIAMOND RULES

Evidently roused by Mayor Bentley's instinct for reform as demonstrated in his revision of traffic rules and re-arrangement of the council seats, an unknown reformer this morning attempted to enlist his honor in a movement to reform baseball. The new reformer, who is not known, left an outline of his plan in the mayor's office door this morning, rudely scribbled on a plain piece of paper.

"Old system of baseball clear cause of insanity," reads the disjointed and incoherent scrawl, which asserts that the bases made by each batsman should be counted, instead of requiring him to make the full circuit before counting.

"Investigation can be made by congress, state capital, local council and city officials," the note concludes. "Attention of the city attorney should be called to the evidence of insanity."

Police, when shown the missive, recalled the receipt of simflar messages about ten years ago by prominent citizens, and James Thompson said he had received notes of the kind while district attorney. The writer is believed, by the police, to be a crank who lives in Winona.

BOBBY HOOKS GOES MAD AT POOR FARM AND IS SENT TO INSANE ASYLUM

Atlas Lincoln, familiarly known about the streets of La Crosse for many years as "Bobby Hooks" the armless flower peddler, was yesterday taken to West Salem insane asylum by Sheriff George J. Ritter, entirely out of mind and bemoaning the fact that attendants at the poor farm, where "Bobby" was taken some weeks ago, had deprived him of his hook, "Bobby's" only means of feeding himself, and even his precious, half-wooden arm.

"Bobby" was once a strapping young woodsman. When he was about twenty-five his whole life was changed. A careless saw mill hand blundered, and the blunder cost Lincoln both arms. They were cut off above the elbows.

And so "Hooks" became a town land mark—the best known object on the down town streets.

Floral companies gave him flowers at low prices, and none refused to buy. It was more than twenty years ago that "Bobby" started selling flowers. Several years ago, his straightness began to droop, and a shuffle in his step which appeared later marked the beginning of the end.

Some weeks ago he was deprived of his rooming quarters in a lower Main street hotel, and Judge Brindley reluctantly sent him to the poor farm.

The morning following "Bobby's" trip to the poor farm, he again appeared on his old North Third street haunts, and was again taken to the poor farm.

Then "Bobby" began to lose his mind. He beat on the door of his room with his hook, the best friend he ever had from the time he lost his arms, and yesterday it was concluded that he would have to be taken away.

ENGLAND HOPES TO BEAT U. S. ON NOTE

Intimation Is That American Claim of Trade Loss Will Be Disputed

BY JOHN EDWIN NEVIN
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, June 18.—England hopes to "beat the United States to it" in her reply to the American protest against the order in council.

With the admission that an answer is being prepared to the American message of March 30, comes the intimation that England hopes to dispute any claim that American trade has suffered by citing some of Commerce Secretary Redfield's figures. These figures, which deal with the trade balance since war began, will be depended on by the British foreign office to show that while it is true the trade with Germany has completely stopped, exports to the countries contiguous to Teutonic territory is so large that there can be no doubt that much of the goods ultimately heach Germany.

Time of Receipt Not Known

Although this government has been told that the British reply is being prepared, there is as yet no intimation as to when it may be expected. It is considered certain, however, that its representations will be unsatisfactory to the administration.

The president has directed that complete figures be prepared by the state department, showing just what cargoes have been held up by the British and French. He will maintain that whether American trade has gained or lost is not the point at issue. What he will insist on is that America's right to freedom of the seas be recognized.

The only effect that arrival here of a note from London will have will be slightly to delay the promised American communication to England.

Words resemble sunbeams—the more they are condensed the deeper they burn.

LAST RESORT MAY SAVE LAND TRADE

Kurtenacker Moves Reconsideration of Vote by Which Bill to Trade Islands Was Killed

WILL AMEND THE MEASURE

Provision Relating to Pierce County Will Be Stricken to Eliminate Opposition

MADISON, Wis., June 18.—(Special.)—As a last resort in his fight to have Pettibone park become the property of the state of Wisconsin, as it is of the city of La Crosse, Assemblyman Karl Kurtenacker this morning moved reconsideration of the vote by which the assembly killed the bill accepting Minnesota's offer to trade Barron's Island for a Wisconsin island opposite Red Wing.

If the reconsideration motion carries when it comes up next week, Mr. Kurtenacker will present an amendment which strikes out the provisions relating to Pierce county, but retains the provision transferring portions of Buffalo county, Wis., to Minnesota in exchange for the Houston county territory of Barron's Island.

The Red Wing island lies partly in Pierce and partly in Buffalo county. Mr. Kurtenacker said today that the people of Buffalo county are on record as favoring the exchange as thus amended. Pierce county opposition was responsible for the death of the bill in the assembly yesterday.

MUST HAVE LICENSE TO SELL CIGARETTES

In a letter to City Clerk E. H. Hoffman this morning, City Attorney J. E. Higbee called attention to the new cigarette license bill passed by the legislature, which provides that all dealers selling cigarettes after May 27, when the bill went into effect, must have licenses. Any dealer convicted of selling "pills" between May 27 and July 1 without a license is ineligible for a license for four years. After July 1 a new license, to run a year, must be taken out. The license fee is five dollars.

FREE SOAP WITH THE KIRK COUPON

In an educational campaign to acquaint the people of La Crosse with the many good qualities of Kirk's famous soap, the manufacturers will give a bar of this soap free to every housewife in this city who will present to her grocer one of the coupons which have been distributed in a house-to-house canvass of the city. Particulars of the offer are found in the Kirk advertisement on page five of this issue of The Tribune.

COSTLEY'S "WOLF-HOUND" GIVEN TO SHERIFF FOR TRACKING CRIMINALS

A little surprise package weighing seventy-five pounds, with a savage growl, and labeled "full-blooded blood hound," is what Undersheriff John A. Weber and Registrar in Probate John Costley got when they sent to Fargo, N. D., for a wolf dog.

Costley's fame as a lover of hunting dogs reached the city of Fargo. The registrar does not know how, but he got a letter from that city containing an offer which a few days ago placed in his hands the blood hound. The donor said he was sending a wolf dog and all Costley had to do to get him was to pay the freight.

With the dog's arrival came a letter. "I forgot to state that the dog is a pedigreed blood hound, and trained to 'get his man,'" read the letter. "The dog's name is 'Tom,'" it continued, and right then Costley took himself to the office of the undersheriff.

Look-a-here Weber," said the keeper of the county's probate papers, "this fellow has loaded a blood hound off on us."

"Us?" asked the undersheriff, but he straightway looked up a tretise on how to "unload" blood hounds from crates, and feed them from the hand.

Weber has the dog, and woe be, he says, unto the next criminal that makes himself prominent about these parts.

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BILLIE RICHIE in a side splitting two reel feature comedy.
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Five part world feature. A story of a good woman's fight against the evils of a small city. Presenting Margaret Wycherly.
Today and Tomorrow

CIRCUS BRINGS NO JOB FOR POLICE

"Roughnecks" Arrive in Numbers but No Complaints Are Received at Station

Despite a sudden influx of what the police comprehensively styled "circus roughnecks," circus day brought no complaints to police headquarters. All available men were on duty, but during the parade and up to 3 o'clock this afternoon there had been no trouble.

Officer Hayek was sent to the home of Mrs. F. Flock, 711 Division street, last night when she reported a tramp was hanging about, but the man was not in sight when the policeman arrived.

Mrs. Flock said the man asked for money, and refused to go away when ordered.

BURLINGTON TRACKS ARE UNDER WATER

As a result of the heavy rain in the vicinity of Maiden Rock, the tracks of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad were under water at various points between Maiden Rock, Stockholm and Bay City. Train No. 47, due here at 3:15 a. m., and No. 54, due at 4:30, were held up until track-walkers had ascertained the results of the rain. No damage was done to the tracks.

AHRENS RE-ELECTED THIRTY-SIXTH TIME

Carl Ahrens, 228 North Tenth street, celebrated his seventy-third birthday yesterday by accepting election as president of the Concordia society the thirty-sixth consecutive year. Other officers elected are: Vice president, August Houthmaker; secretary, Frank Gautsch; financial secretary, Emil Guenther; treasurer, Henry Kinder.

LIVE TALES OF THE DIAMOND

By ZANE GREY

Author of "The Lone Star Ranger," "The Light of Western Stars," Etc.

V--Old Well-Well

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HE BOUGHT a ticket at the 25-cent window, and edging his huge bulk through the turnstile, laboriously followed the noisy crowd toward the bleachers. I could not have been mistaken. He was Old Well-Well, famous from Boston to Baltimore as the greatest baseball fan in the East. His singular yell had pealed into the ears of five hundred thousand worshipers of the national game and would never be forgotten.

At sight of him I recalled a friend's baseball talk. "You remember Old Well-Well? He's all in—dying, poor old fellow! It seems young Burt, whom the Phillies are trying out this spring, is Old Well-Well's nephew and protege. Used to play on the Murray Hill team; a speedy youngster. When the Philadelphia team was here last, Manager Crestline announced his intention to play Burt in center field. Old Well-Well was too ill to see the lad get his tryout. He was heart-broken and said: 'If I could only see one more game!'"

The recollection of this random baseball gossip and the fact that Philadelphia was scheduled to play New York that very day, gave me a sudden desire to see the game with Old Well-Well. I did not know him, but where on earth were introductions as superfluous as on the bleachers? It was a very easy matter to catch up with him. He walked slowly, leaning hard on a cane and his wide shoulders sagged as he puffed along. I was about to make some pleasant remark concerning the prospects of a fine game, when the sight of his face shocked me and I drew back. If ever I had seen shadow of pain and shade of death they hovered darkly around Old Well-Well.

No one accompanied him, no one seemed to recognize him. The majority of that merry crowd of boys and men would have jumped up wild with pleasure to hear his well-remembered yell. Not much longer than a year before, I had seen ten thousand fans rise as one man and roar a greeting to him that shook the stands. So I was confronted by a situation strikingly calculated to rouse my curiosity and sympathy.

He found an end seat on a row at about the middle of the right-field bleachers and I chose one across the aisle and somewhat behind him. No players were yet in sight. The stands were filling up and streams of men were filing into the aisles of the bleachers and piling over the benches. Old Well-Well settled himself comfortably in his seat and gazed about him with animation. There had come a change to his massive features. The hard lines had softened; the patches of gray were no longer visible; his cheeks were ruddy; something akin to a smile shone on his face as he looked around, missing no detail of the familiar scene.

During the practice of the home team Old Well-Well sat still with his big hands on his knees; but when the gong rang for the Phillies, he grew restless, squirmed in his seat and half rose several times. I divined the importuning of his old habit to greet his team with the yell that had made him famous. I expected him to get up. I waited for it. Gradually, however, he became quiet as a man governed by severe self-restraint and directed his attention to the Philadelphia center fielder.

At a glance I saw that the player was new to me and answered the newspaper description of young Burt. What a lively looking athlete! He was tall, lithe, yet sturdy. He did not need to chase more than two fly balls to win me. His graceful, fast style reminded me of the great Curt Welch. Old Well-Well's face wore a rapt expression. I discovered myself hoping Burt would make good; wishing he would rip the boards off the fence; praying he would break up the game.

It was Saturday, and by the time the gong sounded for the game to begin the grand stand and bleachers were packed. The scene was glittering, colorful, a delight to the eye. Around the circle of bright faces rippled a low, merry murmur. The umpire, grotesquely padded in front by his chest protector, announced the batteries, dusted the plate, and throwing out a white ball, sang the open sesame of the game: "Play!"

Then Old Well-Well arose as if pushed from his seat by some strong propelling force. It had been his wont always when play was ordered or in a moment of silent suspense, or a lull in the applause, or a dramatic pause when hearts beat high and lips were mute, to bawl out over the listening, waiting multitude his terrific blast: "Well-Well-Well!"

Twice he opened his mouth, gurgled and choked, and then resumed his seat with a very red, agitated face; something had deterred him from his purpose, or he had been physically incapable of yelling.

The game opened with White's sharp bounder to the infield. Wesley had three strikes called on him, and Kelly fouled out t third base. The Phillies did no better, being retired in one, two, three order. The second inning was short and no tallies were chalked up. Brain hit safely in the third and went to second on a sacrifice. The bleachers began to stamp and cheer. He reached third on an infield hit that the Philadelphia shortstop knocked down but could not cover in time to catch either runner. The cheer in the grand stand was drowned by the roar in the bleachers. Brain scored on a fly-out to left. A double along the right foul line brought the second runner home. Following that the next batter went out on strikes.

In the Philadelphia half of the inning young Burt was the first man up. He stood left-handed at the plate and looked formidable. Duveen, the wary old pitcher for New York, to whom this ne player was an unknown quantity, eyed his easy position as if reckoning on a possible weakness. Then he took his swing and threw the ball. Burt never moved a muscle and the umpire called strike. The next was a ball, the next a strike; still Burt had not moved.

"Somebody wake him up!" yelled a wag in the bleachers. He's from Slumbertown, all right, all right!" shouted another.

Duveen sent up another ball, high and swift. Burt hit straight over the first baseman, a line drive that struck the front of the right-field bleachers.

"Peacherino!" howled a fan.

Here the promise of Burt's speed was fulfilled. Run! He was fleet as a deer. He cut through first like the wind, settled to a driving stride, rounded second, and by a good, long slide beat the throw in to third. The crowd, who went to games to see long hits and daring runs, gave him a generous hand-clapping

Old Well-Well appeared on the verge of apoplexy. His ruddy face turned purple, then black; he rose in his seat; he gave ent to smothered gasps; then he straightened up and clutched his hands into his knees.

Burt scored his run on a hit to deep short, an infielder's choice, with the chances against retiring a runner at the plate. Philadelphia could not tally again that inning. New York blanked in the first of the next. For their opponents, an error, a close decision at second favoring the runner, and a single to right tied the score. Bell of New York got a clean hit in the opening of the fifth. With no one out and chances for a run, the impatient fans let loose. Four subway trains in collision would not have equaled the yell and stamp in the bleachers. Maloney was next to bat and he essayed a bunt. This the fans derided with hoots and hisses. No team work, no inside ball for them.

"Hit it out!" yelled a hundred in unison.

"Home run!" screamed a worshiper of long hits.

As if actuated by the sentiments of his admirers Maloney lined the ball over short. It looked good for a double; it certainly would advance Bell to third; maybe home. But no one calculated on Burt. His fleetness enabled him to head the bounding ball. He picked it up cleanly, and checking his headlong run, threw toward third base. Bell was half way there. The ball shot straight and low with terrific force and beat the runner to the bag.

"What a great arm!" I exclaimed, deep in my throat. "It's the lad's day! He can't be stopped."

The keen new boy sitting below us broke the amazed silence in the bleachers.

"Wot d'ye tink o' that?"

Old Well-Well writhed in his seat. To him it was one-man game, as it had come to be for me. I thrilled with him; I gloried in the making good of his protege; it got to be an effort on my part to look at the old man, so keenly did his emotion communicate itself to me.

The game went on, a close, exciting, brilliantly fought battle. Both pitchers were at their best. The batters batted out long flies, low liners, and sharp grounders; the fielders fielded these difficult chances without misplay. Opportunities came for runs, but no runs were scored for several innings. Hopes were raised to the highest pitch only to be dashed astonishingly away. The crowd in the grand stand swayed to every pitched ball; the bleachers tossed like surf in a storm.

To start the eighth, Stranathan of New York, tripled along the left foul line. Thunder burst from the fans and rolled swellingly around the field. Before the hoarse yelling, the shrill hooting, the hollow stamping had ceased Stranathan made home on an infield hit. Then bedlam broke loose. It calmed down quickly, for the fans sensed trouble between Binghamton, who had been thrown out in the play and the umpire who was waving him back to the bench.

"You dizzy-eyed old woman, you can't see straight!" called Binghamton.

The umpire's reply was lost, but it was evident that the offending player had been ordered out of the grounds.

Binghamton swaggered along the bleachers while the umpire slowly returned to his post. The fans took exception to the player's objection and were not slow in expressing it. Various witty encomiums, not to be misunderstood, attested to the bleachers' love of fair play and their disgust at a players' getting himself put out of the game at a critical stage.

The game proceeded. A second batter had been thrown out. Then two hits in succession looked good for another run. White, the next batter, sent a single over second base. Burt scooped the ball on the first bounce and let drive for the plate. It was another extraordinary throw. Whether ball or runner reached home base first was most difficult to decide. The umpire made his sweeping wave of hand and the breathless crowd caught his decision.

"Out!"

In action and sound the circle of bleachers resembled a long curved beach with a mounting breaker thundering turbulently high.

"Rob—b—ber—r!" bawled the outraged fans, betraying their marvelous inconsistency.

Old Well-Well breathed hard. Again the wrestling of his body signified an inward strife. I began to feel sure that the man was in a mingled torment of joy and pain, that he fought the maddening desire to yell because he knew he had not the strength to stand it. Surely, in all the years of his long following of baseball he had never had the incentive to express himself in his peculiar way that rioted in him now. Surely, before the game ended he would split the winds with his wonderful yell.

Duveen's only base on balls, with the help of a bunt, a steal, and a scratch hit, resulted in a run for Philadelphia, again tying the score. How the fans raged at Fuller for failing to field the lucky scratch.

"We had the game on ice!" one cried.

"Get him a basket!"

New York men got on bases in the ninth and made strenuous efforts to cross the plate, but it was not to be. Philadelphia opened up with two scorching hits and then a double steal. Burt came up with runners on second and third. Half the crowd cheered in fair appreciation of the way fate was starring the ambitious young outfielder; the other half, dyed-in-the-wool home-team fans, bent forward in a waiting silent gloom of fear. Burt knocked the dirt out of his spikes and faced Duveen. The second ball pitched he met fairly and it rang like a bell.

No one in the stands saw where it went. But they heard a crack, saw the New York shortstop stagger and then pounce forward to pick up the ball and speed it toward the plate. The catcher was quick to tag the incoming runner, and then snap the ball to first base, completing a double play.

When the crowd fully grasped this, which was after an instant of bewilderment, a hoarse crashing roar rolled out across the field to bellow back in loud echo from Coogan's Bluff. The grand stand resembled a colored corn field waving in a violent wind; the bleachers lost all semblance of anything. Frenzied, flinging action—wild chaos—shrieking cries—manifested sheer insanity of joy. When the noise subsided, one fan, evidently a little longer-winded than his comrades, cried out hysterically:

"O-h! I don't care what becomes of me—now-w!"

Score tied, three to three, game must go ten innings—that was the shibboleth; that was the overmastering truth. The game did go ten innings — eleven — twelve, every one marked by masterly pitching, full of magnificent catches, stops, and throws, replete with reckless baserunning and slides like flashes in the dust. But they were unproductive of runs. Three to three! Thirteen innings!

"Unlucky thirteenth," wailed a superstitious fan.

I had got down to plugging, and for the first time, not for my home team. I wanted Philadelphia to win, because Burt was on the team. With Old Well-Well sitting there so rigid in his seat, so obsessed by the playing of the lad, I turned traitor to New York.

White cut a high twisting bounder inside the third bag, and before the ball could be returned he stood safely on second. The fans howled with what husky voice they had left. The second hitter batted a tremendously high fly toward center field. Burt wheeled with the crack of the ball and raced for the ropes. Onward the ball soared like a sailing swallow; the fleet fielder ran with his back to the stands. What an age that ball stayed in the air! Then it lost its speed, gracefully curved and began to fall. Burt lunged forward and upward; the ball lit in his hands and stuck there as he plunged over the ropes into the crowd. White had leisurely trotted half way to third; he saw the catch, ran back to touch second and then easily made third on the throw-in. The applause that greeted Burt proved the splendid spirit of the game. Bell placed a safe little hit over short, scoring White. Heaving, bobbing bleachers—wild, broken, roar on roar!

Score four to three—only one half inning left for Philadelphia to play—how the fans rooted for another run! A swift double-play, however, ended the inning.

Philadelphia's first hitter had three strikes called on him.

"Asleep at the switch!" yelled a delighted fan.

The next batter went out on a weak pop-up fly to second.

"Nothin' to it!"

"Oh, I hate to take this money!"

"All-l o-over!"

Two men at least of all that vast assemblage had not given up victory for Philadelphia. I had not dared to look at Old Well-Well for a long while. I dreaded the next portentous moment. I felt deep within me something like clairvoyant force, an intangible belief fostered by hope.

Magoon, the slugger of the Phillies, slugged one against the left field bleachers, but being heavy and slow, he could not get beyond second base. Cless swung with all his might at the first pitched ball, and instead of hitting it a mile as he had tried, he scratched a mean, slow, teasing grounder down the third base line. It was as safe as if it had been shot out of a cannon. Magoon went to third.

The crowd suddenly awoke to ominous possibilities; sharp commands came from the players' bench. The Philadelphia team were bowling and hopping on the side lines, and had to be put down by the umpire.

An inbreathing silence fell upon stands and field, quiet, like a lull before a storm.

When I saw young Burt start for the plate and realized it was his turn at bat, I jumped as if I had been shot. Putting my hand on Old Well-Well's shoulder I whispered: "Burt's at bat! He'll break up this game! I know he's going to lose one!"

The old fellow did not feel my touch; he did not hear my voice; he was gazing toward the field with an expression on his face to which no human speech could render justice. He knew what was coming. It could not be denied him in that moment.

How confidently young Burt stood up to the plate! None except a natural hitter could have had his position. He might have been Wagner for all he showed of the tight suspense of that crisis. Yet there was a tense alert poise to his head and shoulders which proved he was alive to his opportunity.

Duveen plainly showed he was tired. Twice he shook his head to his catcher, as if he did not want to pitch a certain kind of ball. He had to use extra motion to get his old speed, and he delivered a high straight ball that Burt fouled over the grandstand. The second ball met a similar fate. All the time the crowd maintained that strange waiting silence. The umpire threw out a glistening white ball, which Duveen rubbed in the dust and spat upon. Then he wound himself up into a knot, slowly unwound, and swinging with effort, threw for the plate.

Burt's lithe shoulders swung powerfully. The meeting of ball and bat fairly cracked. The low driving hit lined over second a rising glittering streak, and went far beyond the center fielder.

Bleachers and stands uttered one short cry, almost a groan, and then stared at the speeding runners. For an instant, approaching doom could not have been more dreaded. Magoon scored. Cless was rounding second when the ball lit. If Burt was running swiftly when he turned first he had only got started, for then his long sprinter's stride lengthened and quickened. At second he was flying; beyond second he seemed to merge into a gray flitting shadow.

I gripped my seat strangling the uproar within me. Where was the applause? The fans were silent, choked as I was, but from a different cause. Cless crossed the plate with a score that defeated New York; still the tenston never laxed until Burt beat the ball home in as beautiful a run as ever thrilled an audience.

In the bleak dead pause of amazed disappointment Old Well-Well lifted his hulking figure and loomed, towered over the bleachers. His wide shoulders spread, his broad chest expanded, his breath whistled as he drew it in. One fleeting instant his transfigured face shone with a glorious light. Then, as he threw back his head and opened his lips, his face turned purple, the muscles of his cheeks and jaw rippled and strung, the veins on his forehead swelled into bulging ridges. Even the back of his neck grew red.

"Well!—Well!!—Well!!!"

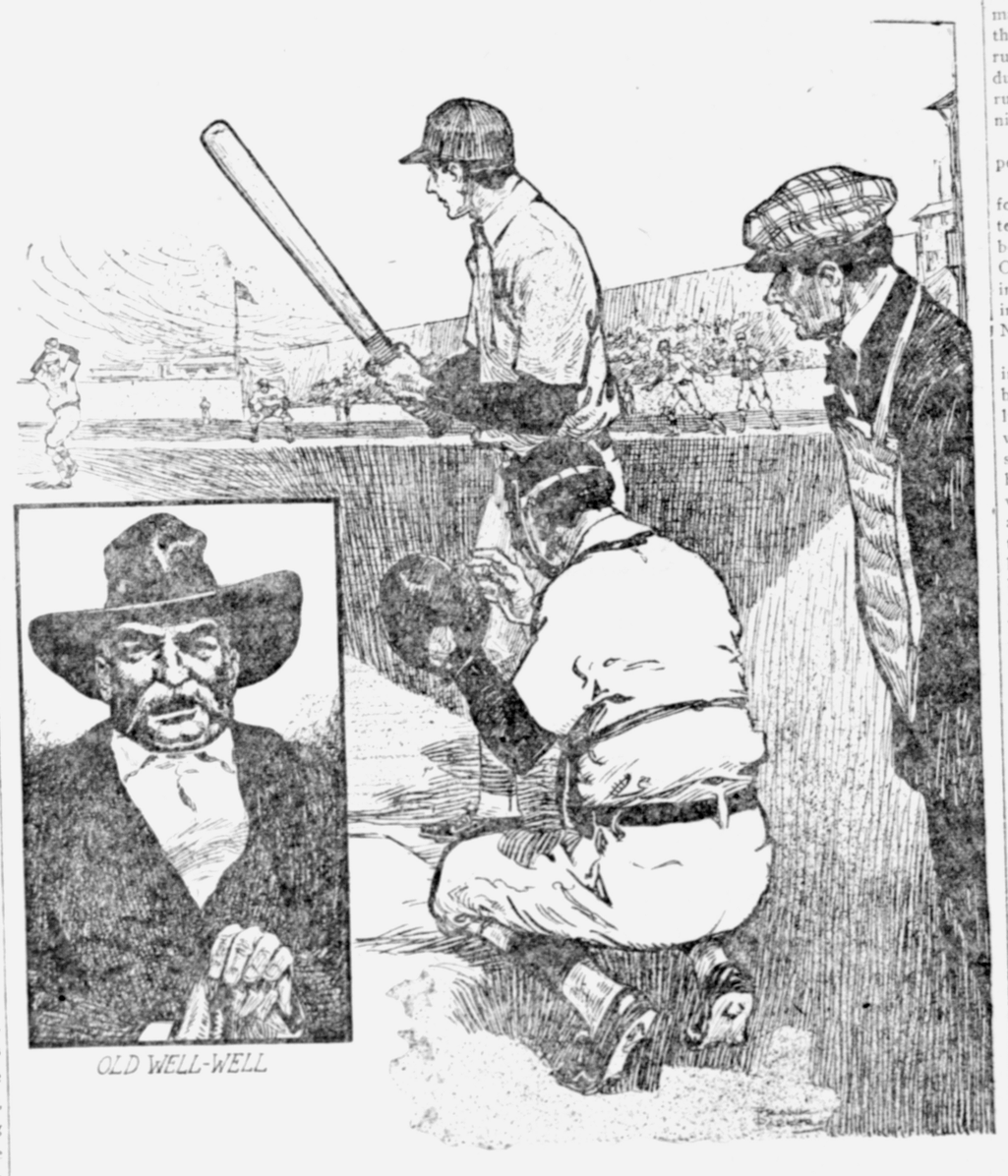
Ear-splitting stentorian blast! For a moment I was deafened. But I heard the echo ringing from the cliff, a pealing clarion call, beautiful and wonderful, winding away in hollow reverberation, then breaking out anew from building to building in clear concatenation.

A sea of faces whirled in the direction of that long unheard yell. Burt had stopped statue-like as if stricken in his tracks; then he came running, darting among the spectators who had leaped the fence.

Old Well-Well stood a moment with slow glance lingering on the tumult of emptying bleachers, on the moving mingling colors in the grand stand, across the green field to the gray clad players. He staggered forward and fell.

Before I could move, a noisy crowd swarmed about him, some solicitous, many facetious. Young Burt leaped the fence and forced his way into the circle. Then they were carrying the old man down to the field and toward the clubhouse.

I waited until the bleachers and field were empty. When I finally went out there was a crowd at the gate surrounding an ambulance. I caught a glimpse of Old Well-Well. He lay white and still, but his eyes were open, smiling intently. Young Burt hung over him with a pale and agitated face. Then a bell clanged and the ambulance clattered away.



OLD WELL-WELL

He was alive to his opportunity.

"The Rube" is the title of the Live Tale of the Diamond for next Sunday, and it is a baseball story of unusual interest.

Orchestra Concert Saturday Afternoon and Evening

PALM BEACH SUITS

A nice line of the popular Palm Beach Suits, really worth $5.85 and $6.85, priced for tomorrow at $4.98

THE HEART OF LA CROSSE
DOERFLINGER'S

Women's Silk Petticoats
Big reductions on all Silk Petticoats we have. A beautiful large line in all colors.
$3.50 Women's Silk Petticoats, special for tomorrow ... $2.80
$5.00 Women's Silk Petticoats, special for tomorrow ... $3.98

Real Bargains in Women's Apparel

Once or twice in a season there occurs a sale of such vast importance that it creates a real sensation. Here is such a sale.

Hundreds of Summer Dresses
Values twice the sale price.

One beautiful line of Dresses, fine sheer materials, made in the latest three tier models, a regular $7 value, priced in this sale for

$4.98

A beautiful all White Dress made with a beautiful wide embroidery flouncing and insertion to match, a regular $6.85 dress, priced for this sale at .....

$4.98



A truly wonderful selection of beautiful, cool Summer Waists — all the very latest models, and at the most attractive prices.

Whatever kind of Waist you wish to buy at whatever price you wish to pay, you can obtain most advantageously in our Waist Dept.

Four new models in the splendid Wirthmor Waists have just come in; styles that are unusually appealing. As always they are just $1.00. But as always they are worth considerably more.

Hundreds of Summer Dresses
Values twice the sale price.

$5.00 Women's Summer Dresses, all new styles, big wide skirts, materials lawns, voiles, mercerized cotton material, in a variety of patterns, priced for tomorrow's selling at

$2.95

Another big lot of regular $3.50 and $3.98 values, made of lawn, ratine, all the models with wide, flare skirts, priced for tomorrow at each

$1.98

Chocolate Day
Aren't You Glad

Hershey, Runckle or Huyler's Chocolate Bars, 3 for .. 10c
Chocolate Drops, good cream centers, per pound 10c
Chocolate Covered Caramels, a delicious confection, per pound 20c
Chocolate Nut Filberttes, extra fine, pound 20c
Chocolate Cream Peanuts, extra special, pound 20c
Chocolate Covered Bonbons, with caramel centers per pound 20c

Wonderful Millinery Bargains



TRIMMED HATS

Small, medium and large Hats, all this season's best styles, trimmed with ostrich bands and fancies, ribbon and flowers, especially priced for Saturday at $2.49

UNTRIMMED HATS

Panamas, Hemps, Chips and Milan Hemps, values to $2.00, each 79c

OSTRICH POMPOMS

Ostrich Pompons, in black, white and colors, at ..... 98c, $1.49 and $1.98

Children's Trimmed Hats At 49c, 98c and $1.49.

FLOWERS and WREATHS

500 bunches of Flowers and Wreaths, in all the wanted color combinations, at ..... 9c, 19c, 29c and 39c

Chocolate Day
Aren't You Glad

Chocolate Chips, good molasses centers pound 20c
Chocolate Nutlets, Chips and Peanuts, assorted, per pound 20c
Chocolate Covered Marshmallows, fresh, per pound 20c
Chocolate Covered Creams with walnut tops, pound 20c
Chocolate Covered Creams with almond top, pound 20c
Chocolate Covered Peanuts, a 50c value, special per pound 39c

Saturday Ends the Great Bontex Sewing Week

Hundreds of satisfied customers tell us the bargains they purchased in this wonderful Bontex Sewing event surpass any sale they have attended. Read these specials for tomorrow. Every item listed saves you money on every purchase.

These Wash Fabrics for 19c yard

25c and 35c 40 in. Printed Wash Voile
$1.00 42 inch Brocaded Eponges
50c 36 inch Colored Corded Crepes
58c 27 in. Silk and Cotton Brocades
50c 27 inch Silk Stripe Crepes
75c 27 in. Printed Crepe de Chines
CHOICE 19c YARD

Snow White Wash Goods, 23c yard

29c 36 inch White Plisse Crepe
35c 36 inch White Pique
50c 36 inch White Knub Crepe
35c 32 inch White Stripe Madras
35c 39 inch White Mercerized Voiles
75c 40 inch White Imported Crepe
CHOICE 23c YARD

Summer Dress Materials, 44c yard

59c 36 inch A B C Tub Silks
56c 36 inch Silk Stripe Madras
$1.00 45 inch Two Toned Diagonals
65c 54 inch Half Wool Tackings
75c 42 in. Gray Diagonal Vigereaux
59c 38 in. Palm Beach Stripe Suiting
CHOICE 44c YARD

Buy These Remarkable Values, 79c

$1.00 36 in. Black Taffeta Silk
$1.00 36 in. Black Satin Messalines
$1.00 36 in. Navy and White Foulard
$1.25 54 inch Black Mohair Sicilian
$1.25 26 inch Colored Novelty Silks
$2.50 44 inch White Golfine Velour
CHOICE 79c YARD

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Lard—Pure kettle rendered Lard, pound 12½c

Sugar Wafers—Vanilla, Lemon or Tutti Frutti Sugar Wafers, ½ pound 10c

Catsup—Van Camp's Bordeaux brand Catsup, 15 ounce bottle for 10c

Pickles—German Dill Pickles, Pepin brand, 15c jar 10c

Apricots—Choice bright fruit, per pound 12½c

10 lbs. Fine Cane Sugar 49c

With each $1 purchase taken from the following list we will sell you 10 pounds fine Sugar for 49c.

1 quart fancy Sour Pickles 10c
1 quart Dill Pickles 10c
1 quart Sweet Pickles 20c
1 quart Bulk Olives 35c
1 pound Pearl Tapioca 10c
1 pound fine Tapioca 10c
1 pound Head Rice 10c
1 pound choice California Prunes 10c
1 pound choice Muir Peaches 10c
1 box Ohio Noiseless Matches 5c
1 box hardwood Toothpicks 5c
1 pound Salted Pretzels 10c
1 pound fresh baked Ginger Snaps 10c
1 gallon pure Cider Vinegar 25c
1 gallon pure White Wine Vinegar 15c
7 bars Swift's Pride Soap 25c
⅛ pound pure Ground Pepper 5c
⅛ pound pure Ground Cinnamon 5c

Pineapples—Fancy large pines, 3 for 25c; each 9c

Tomatoes—No. 3 can solid pack Tomatoes, 3 cans for 25c; can 9c

Peaches—Capco brand California fruit in syrup, special per can 12½c

Peas—Regal brand Select June Peas, per can 7½c

Corn — Wisconsin standard pack Corn, can 7½c

BRITISH DRIVEN FROM WISCONSIN A CENTURY AGO

Fred Merk Tells of Defeat of English Where Prairie du Chien Now Stands

BY FRED MERK
(Wisconsin State Historical Society.)

One hundred years ago, in the spring of 1815, the last occupation of Wisconsin by British soldiers came to an inglorious end. Where Prairie du Chien now stands, in southwestern Wisconsin, His Majesty's troops hauled down the British flag, and beat a hasty retreat to Canadian soil.

Probably most Americans suppose that with the close of the revolutionary war in 1783, the United States government came into immediate possession of all the territory to which it was by the terms of the treaty of peace entitled. This impression is far from being true, however. Particularly in the northwest, England for many years retained actual possession of a number of important military and trading posts, and therewith actual sovereignty over the country. The Indians and the French halfbreeds who traded at these posts she proceeded to stir up against the Americans, with tales of their greed, their lust for land, and their swift destruction of the forest, the home of the red man.

When the war of 1812 broke out, the Indians were quite willing to aid their British protectors in driving the mercenary Yankees from the land. At Prairie du Chien, an important strategic position, since it dominated practically the entire upper Mississippi valley, was a stockaded post, occupied by American regulars. Against this place was launched, in the summer of 1814, a combined British and Indian force, coming from Green Bay, and after a two days' bombardment, the American garrison was forced to surrender.

Have Full Sway

As a result of this victory, during the summer and winter of 1814-15, the British and their Indian allies held full sway over Wisconsin. The Indians proved troublesome allies, since in their love for plunder they failed to distinguish between friend and foe, and sacked the houses and fields of the French and Americans alike. Gathering in large bands about the fort they had to be fed and loaded with presents, and kept from quarreling and fighting among each other. Altogether they gave the British more concern than did the hostile Americans.

Late in May, 1815, news came to this far off frontier post of the signing of the treaty of Ghent on December 24 of the previous year. It had taken five months for the intelligence to penetrate into the wilderness of Wisconsin. At once a difficult situation faced the British. They had made elaborate promises to their native allies which they were now suddenly called upon to disregard. Without even a show of resistance they were now to withdraw from the conquest, and leave the Indians to the mercy of the Americans. In the eyes of the simple minded savages this could be interpreted only as an evidence of cowardice. It was entirely possible that the disappointed and enraged redskins would fall upon their former friends, and massacre them before they could escape to Canada.

Uses Caution

The British commander proceeded to his unpleasant task of announcing the return of peace and the evacuation of the fort with much caution. First he took in hand the more important chiefs and warriors, endeavoring to convince them individually by argument, supplication, and threats that peace was best for all parties concerned. Then having carefully guarded against attack, he called a grand council, where with the usual elaborate Indian ceremony of speeches, exchange of wampum, and smoking the peace pipe, he announced that the hatchet was buried between the palefaces, and in token of this fact hauled down the British flag.

The evacuation of Prairie du Chien was for all practical purposes a flight from the Indians. The British did not even wait for the arrival of the American soldiers to turn the fort over to them, but fearing that delay would give the uneasy savages time to organize an attack, made good their retreat within forty-eight hours after the official intelligence of peace had arrived. Up the Wisconsin river they hurried, across to the Fox at Portage, and thence via Green Bay to Mackinac, ever in fear lest the vengeful redskins should suddenly pounce upon them and massacre them all.

The retreat was a magnificent event in the history of the northwest, for it marked the end of England's hope of ever re-establishing herself within this interior region. The papers and documents relating to it are printed in an interesting series in volume thirteen of the Wisconsin Historical Society Collections."

Never Touched Him.

"So you are contemplating marriage?" "That's what!" "Have you paused to consider the high cost of living?" "Nary pause. I considered it on the way to propose, and then I put on more speed. Her father has money."—Houston Post.

The Flying Machine.

The idea of the flying machine is thousands of years old, but the real father of the heavier-than-air aeroplane was Professor Langley, although the first to actually fly through the air in such machines were the Wright brothers in 1903.

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SALEM MAN CHOSEN TO TALK TO FARMERS

RICHLAND CENTER, Wis., June 18.—Farmers and businessmen of Richland county today began a series of field meetings for the advancement of agricultural and dairy interests of this community. Seven meetings will be held today on farms where alfalfa raising, dairy and stock breeding have been carried on successfully. The meetings were arranged by the department of farmers' institutes and the Richland county order of the State Agricultural Experiment association.

H. D. Griswold of Salem, J. L. Tormey of Madison, and Supt. C. P. Norgord will deliver the lectures. In places in the county where hog cholera has been prevalent, demonstrations will be given on the use of hog cholera serum as a preventative. Similar farm excursions will be held this month in Sauk and Door counties.

Olive Trees Live Longest.

Olives are declared to be the longest-lived fruit trees, some in Syria having borne abundant crops for more than four hundred years.

PEDDLERS NEED FIVE LICENSES

ST. CLOUD, Minn., June 18.—Although peddlers need five permits to vend their wares in St. Cloud, it was said that there are quite a few of them here. It is necessary for a peddler to get a state license, for which the peddler must pay $5. Then he must have licenses in Stearns, Benton and Sherburn counties, each, because the city lies in the corners of the three counties. Finally, he must run the chance of being refused a city license, and losing his entire deposit.

KIRK'S FLAKE WHITE SOAP 5¢
WASHES CLOTHES EASILY IN COLD WATER

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A special purchase of WASH GOODS, short lengths from a manufacturer, enables us to give you extreme bargains at the very height of the season. All perfect goods. Buy your Wash Goods at this BIG SALE.

30 inch Striped Rippelettes.....
Colored Irish Dimities.....
Colored Transparent Crepes.....
Colored English Crepes.....
White Windsor Plisse.....
40 inch White Crepe Voiles.....
40 inch White Transparent Voiles.
Values 15c and 19c, only.....

8½c Yard

40 inch Colored Chiffon Voiles.....
40 inch Striped Fancy Voiles.....
40 inch Colored French Batiste.....
40 inch Colored Satin Striped Voiles
40 inch Printed Triplex Voiles.....
40 inch Colored Transparent Voiles.
Values 35c and 50c, only.....

19c Yard

Sale of Silk WAISTS

Crepes and Tub Silks — **$1.85** — Values up to $4.00.

Plain white, some colors and fancy stripes. Only a limited number, so come early. On sale Saturday only each **$1.85**

Sale of White Petticoats

Lace and Embroidery Trimmed. — **59c** — Values up to $1.50.

Made of fine cambric and nainsook, trimmed with dainty laces and embroideries. Jiffy Petticoats included in this lot. On sale Saturday only, each **59c**

Sale of Women's Dresses

Light and Dark Colors. — **79c** — Values up to $1.75.

Two piece Tunic Dresses, regular House Dresses, two piece Middy Dresses and Street Dresses, made of finest percales and fancy wash materials, in all sizes. On sale Saturday only each **79c**

Sale of Children's Dresses

Sizes from 6 to 14 years. — **79c** — Values up to $2.00.

New styles in fine ginghams, percales and chambrays, plain colors, checks, stripes, plaids and fancies. A great assortment of pretty styles to select from. On sale Saturday only each **79c**

APRON GINGHAMS

Fast colored Apron Ginghams, all sizes of checks, colors navy and black, 8c values, Saturday only per yard **5½c**

BLANKETS

We are making up a shipment of Soiled Wool Blankets to be sent to the North Star Woolen Mills to be cleaned. Send us your soiled Blankets and have them come back looking like new Blankets. Rates reasonable.

Great Final Clearance SALE

MILLINERY

Before Stock Taking June 30th.



Every Trimmed HAT

in the store must be disposed of. Hats that sold as high as $10.00 and $12.00 go

at $2 or $4

No matter what the hats formerly sold at, you can buy any hat in the store at one price or the other.

HATS that sold as high as $10.00 and $12.00 — **$2 or $4** — HATS that sold as high as $10.00 and $12.00

EXTRA SPECIAL
Untrimmed Panamas $1.00

Basement Pillow Cases and Sheets

32 inch Amoskeag Dress Ginghams, checks and stripes, a regular 15c gingham, Saturday for one day only, yard .. **8½c**

32 inch Tub Cloth and Romper Cloth, plain colors and stripes, excellent goods for wear. Fast colors, worth 18c and 20c. Saturday only yard **12½c**

Colored Rippelettes, Colored Dimities, Colored Crepes, White Goods, Voiles, White Plisse. Values up to 18c, at yard **8½c**

CHINA

30 piece set of Gold Band China, worth $4.00, Saturday only at the set **$2.75**

TUMBLERS

10c Heisey Colonial Tumblers Saturday only at each **5c**

45x36 Hemmed Pillow Cases, regular 12½c, only each **10c**

45x36 Hemmed Pillow Cases, regular 20c, only each **16c**

72x90, 72x99, 81x90 Hemmed Sheets, values 85c to 98c, your choice for Saturday only each **65c**

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Third Floor—Take the Elevator.

Lace Curtains About Half Price

250 pairs manufacturers' discontinued patterns, all new and perfect. These will be sold in two lots.

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GEORGETOWN COMMENCEMENT

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Commencement exercises were held today at Georgetown University, with a large class of graduates participating.

MISSISSIPPI LOCUSTS

SUFFOLK, Miss., June 18.—This county is being visited by the 13-year locusts in some numbers. They last appeared in 1902. Damage thus far is slight.

ALMA YOUNG WEDS AT HARMONY, MINN.

HARMONY, Minn., June 18.—(Special.)—Thursday, June 10, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Young at high noon, occurred the marriage of their daughter Alma to Earl C. Capper of Chester, Iowa, Rev. W. Smith officiating.

The bride's sister Gladys was bridesmaid and the groom's brother Archie was best man. After the ceremony a dinner was served to the guests.

They will spend a part of their honeymoon with relatives at Blue Earth, Minn., returning about July 1st.

Mrs. Bailey Dies

Mrs. F. C. Bailey died at her home in Kasota Wednesday, of heart failure. Deceased was for many years a resident of Preston and was 56 years of age. Mrs. Bailey is survived by her husband, six children and one brother, Lee Slater. The body was taken to Preston Monday evening and the burial service held Tuesday morning.

Personals

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will observe "Flower Mission day" Wednesday afternoon, June 23, at the home of Mrs. Peter McKay, Sr.

Mrs. P. A. McKinney of Belleview, Iowa, and Mrs. W. C. Beach of Canton were guests at the William Spencer home Monday. Mrs. McKinney visited at the Martin Mosher home Tuesday and returned to Canton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Scrabeck returned home Monday. Mr. Scrabeck went to Milwaukee to take medical treatment and Mrs. Scrabeck visited with relatives at Sun Prairie, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Haugen and two sons left Monday for Goodhue county. Mr. Haugen will go from there to Aberdeen, S. D. Mrs. Haugen will go to Minneapolis and will visit points in Iowa and then go to Brooklyn, N. Y., where she will make an extended visit with relatives.

Miss Geneva Horsrud went to Preston Wednesday to meet her friends, Mildred and Maxine Gowdy of Sidney, Mont.

Mrs. Roy Millender and son and her sister Flossie Steenbrook, who has been attending the high school the past year, left Wednesday for the former's home at Wrenchell, Minn.

Miss Lillian Thompson closed her school of school Wednesday.

Mrs. R. Freeman and baby of McGregor, Iowa, are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. E. Ferris.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scrabeck and children are visiting with the former's parents at Pipestone, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Parry and two sons left Wednesday for Columbus, Wis., where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. Carl Riggs returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives at Forest City, Iowa. Mrs. Riggs' mother accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Newell have returned here and have rented Mrs. Alice Workman's residence.

Mrs. Zilch was a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sam Dumrud Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. G. Rasmussen and daughter left for Minneapolis. Mr. Rasmussen attended the yearly meeting of the United Lutheran church held in the auditorium there.

Mrs. Ole Teigen returned home from the Cresco hospital much improved.

Mrs. Hans Oleson of Decorah, Iowa, is making an extended stay at the home of her sister, Mrs. Josephine Johnson, who is ill.

Corsella and Hilda Oftedahl are visiting with relatives at Leroy, Minn.

Mesdames W. Spencer and O. N. Thundale and daughter Ruth were guests at Canton Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Kaster.

Vesta Brady has returned from a visit at Preston.

Mrs. Stella Menges is in Rochester to consult physicians.

The "stork" left a baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Flann, June 11.

Mrs. Alice Workman has moved to Preston and will make her home with her son, Reuben Workman.

Ed Kirkelie and daughter, Mrs. Walter Reuter returned Saturday afternoon from a week's visit with a daughter residing at Bancroft, Neb.

Mrs. Eta Harkness of Mabel was shopping between trains here Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Gowdy of Sidney, Mont., arrived Saturday afternoon for a visit at the Dr. Selvig home. Dr. Gowdy was a former resident of Harmony.

Perry Wheeler arrived Saturday afternoon from Minneapolis. Mrs. Wheeler and children are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Trydal and Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Knute Johnson and daughter Ella were guests at the Martin Abrahamson home at Canton Sunday.

Knute Johnson and Totty Felland left Monday on a business trip in the northern part of this state.

Clarence Munger and Mr. Jacklinson left Monday via auto on a business trip north of the Twin cities.

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HAIRDRESSERS WARY OF NEW STYLE HATS

"There's Nothing Secretive in Fashion," Says Margaret Mason, "and Less in Hats"

By MARGARET MASON
(Written for the United Press)

There's nothing secretive in Fashion
That's really quite plain to be seen.
She now is so very transparent
She's even exposing her bean
In hats that are made of illusions
For frocks of the same she is keen
In lingerie blouses and mantles
All made of illusion she's seen
And so in a paradox manner
Results of all chance are bereft,
Because she's so wrapped in illusion
No illusions about her are left.

NEW YORK, June 18.—Hats won't cover a multitude of sins in the hairdressing line anymore. You've got to have a good "do" on your hair nowadays because the very smartest chapeaux can easily be seen through. There are two popular forms of the transparent hats—the one a simple straight flat brim composed of two layers of maline stretched smoothly over the wire frame—the other has the brim composed of a wide floppy ruffle of the maline, double thickness, with occasional wires radiating from the crown to keep the ruffle from going altogether.

While the transparent crowns of the same maline are still very good, the latest effect is to have a velvet crown in the midst of the gauzey brim. The open face hats are most stunning in all black with a single yellow or pink roses as the only adorment, but all white hats or delicate pinks and blues are also most fetching with sheer summer frocks and most summer frocks are all of that let me tell you.

Organdie so thin and exquisite of weave and texture that Queen Mab herself might well be pleased to don it is the material de lux for summer frocks and blouses. In all delicate tints, either plain or strewn with Pompadour garlands it is the quintessence of feminine loveliness. The all white organdie is ideal for lingerie gowns and blouses particularly as by a new triumph of the weavers art it now washes like a dream and rises as beautiful and supreme from the wash as Venus from the wave.

For the wide Quaker collars and cuffs, the many fichus and kerchiefs that now adorn the Victoriano toilettes organdie has no adequate rival. It has only one defect. It is so very sheer that it leaves absolutely nothing to the imagination. This is a defect, however, that pertains to but certain cases.

Indeed the admonition to "keep your shirt on" might easily be offered by a short sighted person to an organdied bloused lady. The more natural conjecture would doubtless be, however, that she didn't have any on to keep. These organdie blouses doubtless rely on their revealing powers for sufficient charm for they almost altogether eschew lace or other embellishments and save for a few tiny hand tucks or embroidery are strictly plain and tailor made.

There's nothing peek-a-boo about these 1915 models; rather should they be dubbed the long-and-lingering-look-waists.

Of course, stockings have to put their foot in it and get in the nonconcealing class also by dropping a stitch or two in the most nonchalant manner with open work clocks and open strips and other open work motifs too numerous to enumerate. As it is only natural for stockings to go to extremes, since that's what they are made for, their swift transition from these open work gauze effects for dress and dance occasions to cashmere and all wool creations for sport wear is not to be wondered at. Rather than wear woolen hosiery my lady Dainty yesterday would rather have suffered a thousand ills; today she flaunts them in the face of the multitude on the links, the tennis court or at the steering wheel. They come in all the bright plain colors or white and colored stripes and checks. The black and white pin check models are perhaps the most popular to match up the many sport coats and suits of shepherds plaid.

Can it be that she will jump as nimbly from her chiffon chemise into woolen lingerie?

HEALTH RESTORED TO ASTHMA SUFFERER



NOAH REDDICK

Noah Reddick, of R. R. 22, Carthage, Ind., after suffering from a severe case of asthma, began taking Nature's Creation, and, according to his own statement, "since the first week have not had any asthma. I would advise everyone who has asthma or lung trouble to take Nature's Creation, as I know from my experience as well as that of others that Nature's Creation will do the work."

In his signed statement—on file in our office—Mr. Reddick states that "I took a severe cold which settled on my lungs. I got very bad and had to go to bed, could hardly get my breath, and my breathing could be heard all over the house. I had the trouble six weeks. The doctor pronounced it asthma, but could only give me temporary relief. A friend induced me to get Nature's Creation, as it had greatly benefited him. After taking Nature's Creation but a short time, I noticed a great improvement, and since the first week have not had any asthma. The shortness of breath disappeared and I have gained in every way, my weight increasing 10 pounds. I worked hard all Summer on the farm and did not have any symptoms of the trouble."

What Nature's Creation has done for Mr. Reddick, it should do for other asthma sufferers, and we have dozens of letters on file, telling of the remarkable benefits derived by use of this remedy in cases of tuberculosis and the conditions which lead to it, such as bronchitis, impure blood, run-down system and asthma.

Everyone should learn the truth about this remedy, which we will gladly furnish. Write for a copy of our new booklet, "Truth," containing photos and testimonials of former sufferers. Address Elmer Haenlein, 32 Sentinel Bldg., Milwaukee, Wis. Nature's Creation is not a patent medicine and is not sold in drug stores. Beware of substitutes—demand the original and genuine Nature's Creation. Watch for Nature's Creation testimonials, which will appear in this paper every Friday.

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YOU CAN'T RUB IT OUT

The pain of rheumatism is something that you cannot rub out. Every sufferer from rheumatism has been advised to rub this or that on the affected part but after all the rubbing the pain remained.

Thin blood and rheumatism come together and if they are properly treated they will go together. One prominent medical writer says that "there is no acute febrile disease in which anemia occurs with greater rapidity." Anemia means thin blood and thin blood is something that can be corrected so why not build up the blood until the rheumatic poisons are driven out?

This is exactly what is done in the treatment of rheumatism with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Acute, muscular and articular rheumatism all show improvement as the thin blood is built up and when the poisons in the blood are burned up and driven out the rheumatism does not return as long as the blood is kept rich and red.

Care in the diet is important during the treatment and every rheumatic sufferer should have two booklets published by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., called "Building Up the Blood" and "What to Eat and How to Eat." They are free on request. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

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PORTAGE ELECTRIC STATION PURCHASED

PORTAGE, Wis., June 18.—The local power sub-station has been purchased by the Portage Electric Light and Power company from the Southern Wisconsin Power company for $40,000. The machinery and equipment at the plant was installed by the Wisconsin company for the benefit of the local concern which leased it for $3,000 a year. Friction arose at times over the responsibility for repairs and other incidental expenses and the purchase was made to eliminate these difficulties.

All other local companies buying power from the Wisconsin company purchased the machinery and installed it at their own expense.

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SPOTLIGHTS

THE PRINCESS PLAYERS

If you want to be surprised and entertained see the Princess Players at the La Crosse theater next week. The entertainment they give is different and better than the week stands you are used to seeing. They have stepped out of the ordinary path and are giving the public just the kind of amusement it wants. Each bill contains two tabloids and six acts of vaudeville. Tabloids are condensed versions of plays, giving in two acts the main story and action and may be compared to a vaudeville sketch.

The vaudeville is not some poor specialties run in between each act. It is the kind most repertoire companies advertise and never have. It is good. Each act is clean, well done and well dressed. Clarence Walters is a dancer of exceptional ability. Oscar O'Shea has a line of foolishness that is rich; you'll like him. Esther Evans renders the latest ballads and sings them well. Bennie Gould does Scotch songs and stories and if you like the Harry Lauder stuff you will like Gould. Russell and Bergen are two dainty girls who sing and dance.

"Oh, What a Night," will open the engagement Sunday matinee, La Crosse theater.

CALLS UPON "LITTLE MARY" FOR SUCCOR

LONDON, June 18.—An ingenious method of informing his mother that he was in dire need of more food was employed by a British prisoner in Germany who fortunately had remembered Barrie's skit "Little Mary" (a man's stomach). When he wrote the following post card it was promptly passed by the unsuspicious German censor:

"My darling little Mary: I have recently heard from my mother and I gather from her card she is rather anxious about you. Poor darling, you are undoubtedly going through hard times now, but am glad my mother and others have at least begun to realize your need of outside help.

"Your allowance is quite insufficient for your needs; of all the sloppy things the state has done for dependants your allowance is the sloppiest—just enough to exist on.

"Am quite well."

Chief Bender is going full tilt down the eternal skids. The Packers chased him to the shower again yesterday.

ACTIVITY SHOWN IN DRY GOODS MARKET

CHICAGO, June 18.—The weekly review of trade by the John V. Farwell company tomorrow will say:

"It is almost certain that many lines of merchandise will advance in price but it is gratifying to know that the financial position of the United States is stronger than ever before.

"The wool dress goods market is higher and well sold out and all sales now are for fall deliveries. Foreign markets too are much higher.

"Black taffeta silks and velvet ribbons are active. There is a great demand for monogram embroidery on handkerchiefs. Dealers are buying heavily in rugs and floor coverings in anticipation of increase; draperies and upholstery goods too, show much activity."

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NORTH SIDE

HER HOUSEKEEPING GETS HUSBAND FOR MISS WEBER, 75

Three Weeks of It Convinces John Spierawsky, 60, That She Is the One Woman

Three weeks of her housekeeping convinced John Spierawsky, 60, that the one woman for him was Miss Barbara Weber, 75, he admitted this morning when a reason was sought for his approaching marriage. The marriage license was issued yesterday.

Since August 1, 1914, when his first wife died, Spierawsky has been "baching it," with indifferent success. Three weeks ago he engaged Miss Weber as housekeeper. Miss Weber can cook. They are to be married next Tuesday at the German Lutheran church, Rose and Avon streets.

Spierawsky has been employed by the city park commission. He has been acquainted with Miss Weber for twenty years since she landed in America from Germany.

North Side Briefs

O'Neil shoe store. Low cuts $1-$3.

Charley Williamson, Galesville, is on the north side on a business trip.

Art Hanson, Holmen, is down to attend the Hagenback-Wallace circus.

The Young People's society of the Bethel Lutheran church will be entertained in the church parlors tonight by J. H. Johnson.

Mrs. M. Harrington and daughter Irene, Austin, Minn., are spending a few days on the north side.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Cunningham have returned to their home in Brownsville, after attending the funeral of a relative here.

Mrs. J. Oldenberg has returned to her home in La Crescent, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Donovan, 216 Rose street.

William Thrune, 1832 Kane street is spending a few days in Winona.

Miss Ethel Botz of 1412 Berlin street, is visiting friends in Minneapolis.

Miss Florence Joy, Seneca, is the guest of Miss Adeline Preutz, 1403 George street.

Orman Rewey, 133 Charles street has left for Colorado, where he will spend a few weeks.

Miss Lottie Hiscox, 600 Mill street, is spending a few days in West Salem.

Con McCauley has returned to Caledonia after spending the past week on the north side.

Miss Lillian Wedeking, 222 Rose street, is the guest of friends in West Salem.

Miss Irma Pust, Prairie du Chien is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will Davis, 1409 Charles street.

Miss Pauline Brown, Cassville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Roggensack, 1647 George street.

Miss Margaret Dyer, Madison, is the guest of north side relatives.

William Huard, Prairie du Chien, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. E. W. Dyer, 1512 Wood street.

Mrs. Henry Woll, 1617 George street, is visiting friends in Marinette.

Rev. A. Lien, 1502 George street, has returned from a few days' stay at Marinette.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Huard, of Prairie du Chien, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyer, 1512 Wood street.

F. H. Ehrler has moved his household goods from 2050 Loomis to 1645 Kane street.

Milton Gear has arrived to spend the summer as playground director of Copeland Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Funkhouser have moved their household goods from 1809 Kane to 1516 Wood street.

Archie Skemp, 1643 Kane street, has returned from Madison, where he be graduated from the course in medicine at the university.

The Misses Pearl and Doris Dady of Wabasha, are the guests of Miss Burdelle Morrison, 933 Caledonia street.

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TABERNACLE CHURCH PICNIC JUNE 19

The annual picnic of the Tabernacle Baptist Sunday school will be held Saturday, June 19, at Myrick park. The picnickers will meet at the church on Avon street at 8:30 a. m. Games and amusements of all kinds will be provided.

RACE UP HUDSON

NEW YORK, June 18.—The first leg of a motorboat race to Albany and return begins late this afternoon, when five motorboats start from here. Five more boats start tomorrow and five more tomorrow afternon.

RAUP WINS WESTERN HANDICAP IN TENTH ANNUAL TRAP SHOOT

ST. LOUIS, June 18.—William Raup of Portage, Wis., won the western handicap, the final event of the tenth annual trap shooting tournament of the interstate association which came to a close here on Thursday. Raup won this principal event of the tournament from 230 shooters after playing off two days. Raup scored 97 out of 100 targets in the early firing, but this was equaled by George Grubb of Wetmore, Kan., and T. A. Snell of Staunton, Ill. The trio then shot at twenty targets and each scored 18. In the third trial Raup hit 19 out of the twenty; Grubb hit 18 and Snell 17.

Raup shot here in the recent registration tournament held under the patronage of the La Crosse Gun club.

BROWN FREE AGENT

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., June 18.—Pitcher Paul Brown, who has been with St. Joe for two years, was made a free agent today.

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TWENTY-EIGHT TO GRADUATE FROM VIROQUA SCHOOL

Vernon County Teachers' Training School Closes Successful Year with Exercises Tonight

VIROQUA, Wis., June 17, 1915. (Special.) Twenty-eight young people will be graduated from the Vernon County Teachers' Training school at 8 o'clock this evening at the Viroqua park tabernacle.

From year to year the school has pulled teachers, both men and women for the positions to teach country and county schools. This year makes the ninth consecutive year of successful work by the institution. The music for the program will consist of several school songs that have been committed by the students and a solo by Miss Lina Weimar, the music director.

Dr. Stanley LeFevre Krebs, president of the institute of Mercantile Art of Philadelphia, a speaker of wide reputation, will deliver the commencement address Friday evening. His chosen subject will be "Plans Plus Push."

Following is the class that will leave the school and be given diplomas Friday:

Stella J. Berg, Marie Olson, Ida B. Nelson, Ethel Sonnenberg, Olive A. Shoults, Guida B. Lalta, Helen Morrison, Rae Anderson, Josie B. Clark, Susie A. Thompson, Ollie Snider, Nora Stigen, Clara R. Thoreson, Alice M. Older, Martha Overson, J. Regina DeWitt, Irene Skolos, Dora B. White, Maude Morgan, Agnes Thompson, Bernard Miller, Sadie Anderson, Mabel E. Jenson, Mella R. Goelde, Warnie Calhoun, Olga Skaug, Mabel Johnson and Eva Stigen.

Alumni Banquet

The alumni renewed old relations with the teachers and students last evening at 6:30 o'clock at the Methodist church, when the alumni banquet was held. This is the eighth of its kind in the history of the school.

Recital Well Attended

About $100 was netted from the first organ recital at the Congregational church Monday evening. The large church parlors were crowded nearly to capacity. Dr. Mills thoroughly entertained his large audience with music. He had full mastery of the instrument and showed he was equal to the high respect which musicians hold for him. He is instructor of music in the University of Wisconsin and is a member of the Royal Council and American Guild of Organists. Mrs. D. W. Nichols came from West Salem and rendered several well appreciated local solos.

Local and Personal

Miss May Williams returned home Thursday morning from Lawrence college where she has been enrolled.

Miss Genevieve Christianson, a recent graduate from the Viroqua high school, left on Saturday for Searesh, S. D., with expectation of attending a state normal school there.

W. N. Coffland, Viroqua clothier, has been duly appointed to the office of postmaster, recently. Senator Husting sent the name to the president discarding the other two aspirants' names. The name received ratification and Mr. Coffland will probably take the office the first of July.

Jens Davidson's name was also sent into the president for the Westby postoffice.

Ole O. Tuhus and family have returned from Melvina, disposing their business property there.

M. E. D. Pummel, Jr., of Texas, has returned to Viroqua with his mother and is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baldwin. The two will leave for Chicago during the summer.

Lawrence Bigley having disposed of his barber shop to Will Aikens of Readstown, left with his family on Thursday for La Crosse to take up new business propositions there.

Miss Vivian Fawcett is visiting Miss Eloise White at La Crosse for a few days this week during the absence of the latter's mother.

Adolph Wolfgram returned Wednesday from Milwaukee, where he has recently been employed as extra clerk on the C. M. & St. P. railway.

Arnold Fawcett is acting as telegraph operator at the Milwaukee depot during the absence of Agent Boyle.

Marcellus Nelson, a student in Indiana, has returned to Viroqua and his parents for the summer vacation.

Sixty delegates attended a meeting of the Epworth league convention of the La Crosse district, at the Methodist church from Thursday until Sunday evening.

Chauncey Morley has returned from Chicago to spend the summer in Viroqua.

Miss Marion Dahl is enjoying a month's vacation with her parents. She is employed as city librarian at Two Harbors, Mich.

Carl Berry is employed at the Milwaukee depot as baggageman. His home is in Sparta, Wis.

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Crackers—Small size, thin crispy wafer-like Crackers, pound 8c

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Personals

B. A. Yeomen moonlight excursion Saturday, June 19, 8:30. Sidney. Dance K. P. hall Monday.

W. E. Miller of Madison was a business caller in La Crosse yesterday.

M. Morrison came to the city from Cashton yesterday to visit friends here.

F. A. Hagen, Lake City, Minn., is transacting busines in La Crosse this week.

D. P. Stewart of Caledonia called on friends in the city yesterday.

R. F. Betson, Viroqua, was in La Crosse yesterday.

If you want a carriage get the Gateway City Trfr. Co. Phone 179.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dunn of Austin, Minn., called on friends in La Crosse this week.

C. A. Neprud has returned to his home in Coon Valley following a trip to La Crosse.

G. A. Roberts of St. Paul is in the city on business for several days.

R. Stevens, Dubuque, Ia., visited friends in the city yesterday.

M. D. Collins of De Soto was in La Crosse yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Gibson of Blair visited in the city this week.

W. P. Hilton, who was in La Crosse on business this week, has returned to North Bend.

J. F. Williams, Janesville, is transacting business in the city this week.

H. M. Thompson came to the city from Red Wing yesterday to remain here for several days.

Stephen Martindale, who is attending the University of Michigan, has returned home for the summer vacation.

Fred Reimers, who has been home from Madison for several days, will return Monday to attend the University of Wisconsin summer school.

Ray M. Keeler has returned to La Crosse after graduating from the state university at Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Runge of Portland, Ore., are here for a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Runge, 916 West avenue south. This is Mr. Runge's first visit to his parents in eight years. Another son, Harry Runge, a chiropractor of Boston, is expected to arrive home within a few days, this completing the family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stam and son Lester are spending a few days in visiting La Crosse friends and relatives.

J. C. Meyer and wife, Winona, Minn., were visitors here yesterday.

Lee J. Schenkenberg, Waterford, Wis., spent yesterday here transacting business.

Dr. Prill was a business visitor in the city yesterday from West Salem.

O. B. Tone, Spring Grove, Minn., spent yesterday here.

J. W. Jolly was a business caller in the city yesterday from Madison.

Mrs. Ezekiel Clarke of Oak Park, Ill., a former resident, is the guest of Mrs. C. P. Dorset.

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FANATICISM MARKS START OF HOLY WAR

Moslems Revert to Oriental Customs in Pledging Themselves for Turkey

BY HENRY WOOD

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 28, by Mail too New York, via Salonika.—Oriental fanaticism, including self-torture of the most repulsive character, marked the proclamation here tonight of the Holy war on behalf of Turkey and her allies. I saw more than 100 men, and two boys of tender years shed their own blood at a single Persian mosque here in Constantinople as a part of the spectacle, which, for sheer brutality, carried one back to the torture days of the twelfth century.

Guarded by one of the brilliantly uniformed, heavily armed dragomen of the American embassy, I was escorted to the mosque in the very heart of the native quarter. I had secured permission to view the ceremony through the courtesy of one of Constantinople's leading Persian merchants. The mosque, decorated within in the most remarkable fashion, outwardly resembled a huge factory structure. The pavilion in the rear, erected for the sheik, seemed more like a stable than a structure built for religious purposes.

Employ Music

Just as the sun set, the strains of music burst from the crude pavilion. Then two great horses, completely covered with rich trappings, came through the curtained entrance. On their backs were two small boys. They represented the slain sons of the great prophet Mahomet. Their skulls were shaven clean, so that parts of them shone like bone in the wavering fire of the torches carried alongside. The rest of their heads and their bodies were covered with fresh blood dripping from razor slashes. In their right hand each carried a long knife. With it they gashed themselves anew and kept the blood from coagulating on their wounds. The crimson flow dripped down on their spotless white robes. But they sat on their horses like statues; on their faces contemptuous smiles. Behind them came a band of true believers. Their garb was black, their shoulders bare. They carried huge barbed scourges with which they lashed themselves across the back.

The rear of the procession was brought up by nearly 100 men. Their skulls, like those of the two boys, were shaven, their heads covered with open wounds from which blood spurted. Each clung with his left hand to a rope bound about the man directly in front. In each right hand was grasped a knife with which fresh wounds were inflicted and old ones kept open. All wore white mantles on which the blood-stains stood out under the light in startling contrast.

Torchbearers Lead Procession

Surrounded by torch-bearers the procession passed three times before the little pulpit-like structure erected in the pavilion for the sheik. The third time it stopped directly in front of it. Then the sheik, a small, thin man, whose voice seemed to pierce the ears, read first the ritual prescribed for the occasion and then the proclamation of the holy war, a proclamation that closed with his own personal appeal, to those present—not to take up their arms against all unbelievers—but in favor of Germany and Austria, the protectors of Islam.

When the sheik descended the procession again moved on. The spectacle was half over. Half an hour was given to the worshippers to recover their strength before resuming their ordeal. During the interval companies of infantry fully equipped, marched into the dark, muddy, crowded yard of the mosque, their polished rifles reflecting the flickering light of the torches. They took positions and flanked the procession when it again resumed its progress around the yard.

Soldiers Withdrawn

But after the first round the soldiers were withdrawn, the government simply contenting itself with its display of force as evidence that it could cope with any outbreak. Once more the staggering bloody forms passed around. Again they gathered in front of the stand, while another sheik mounted the platform. He, too, appealed to all present that they take up arms in behalf of Austria and Germany. That they were Christian nations he did not say. But in impassioned words he appealed to his hearers to arm for Islam and, despite their evident weakness, the wounded men cheered at the end of every sentence and brandished their long knives as evidences that they were ready for stern work. Finally, the sheik descended and companions aided the weak, sorely wounded men to their homes where they were cared for. Enroute they passed through streets lined with soldiers under orders to see that foreigners were protected, as Turkey today is anxious to demonstrate that her holy war is intended only for those nationalities with whom Germany and Austria already are at grips.

NEW YORK GOLFER IS AUTOMATICALLY RULED FROM PLAY

BALTUSROL GOLF CLUB SHORT HILLS, N. J., June 18.—Oswald Kirkby, former Metropolitan amateur champion, is one of the stars who will not be seen in today's play in the national open golf championship tournament. Kirkby failed to total 167 or better yesterday and is automatically ruled out.

Among the favorites still in the tournament are James W. Barnes, Louis Tellier, who died with low score yesterday, J. D. Travers (amateur), Tom McNamara, Walter Hagen, Chick Evans and Alex Campbell.

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Demonstration and Special Fittings of the famous REDFERN CORSETS for three days, commencing next Wednesday, June 23, by Miss Adelaide McCauley, of the designing staff of the Redfern Corset Co.

Society

HARMONIA CLUB

Mrs. Phillipene Bayer entertained the Harmonia club Wednesday afternoon at Germania hall. Covers were laid for twenty-four.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Louis Pammel entertained the club at her home, 1218 Madison street.

SURPRISE FOR MISS NACK

Miss Freda Nack was pleasantly surprised at her home Thursday by her many friends upon the occasion of her tenth birthday. Those present were Irene Schnich, Elsie Schmit, Irma Michel, Myrtle Jung, Elsie Pick, Eleanor Platz, Eleanor Schmit, Myrtle Moulis, Frieda Bendel, Leona Moulis, Ruth Juen, Bertha Hanson, Carl Michel, Leo Nack, Walter Schmit, Adolph Schmit, Ervin Schmit, Julius Platz, Roland Platz. Delightful music was furnished by the Misses Leona Bendel, Frances Gautsch and Louisa Gautsch.

CHARGED WITH FRAUD

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 18.—W. H. Perry of St. Paul, Minn., was arrested Thursday on an indictment issued several weeks ago charging use of the mails to defraud. Government officials say he advertised for a partner with capital and that his scheme was fraudulent. He will be returned to St. Paul after a hearing here.

REPORTS CONFLICT CONCERNING DIVER

LONDON, June 18.—Conflicting reports regarding the feat of the British submarine that penetrated the Dardanelles on Wednesday reached here today.

A Mytilene dispatch said the submarine sank two small Turkish warships, probably gunboats, and two transports. A Constantinople dispatch said, "two boats and a large steamer" were sunk, and a Mudros dispatch last night reported three Turkish transports, laden with troops, were sent to the bottom.

When a young man marries his mother always feels sorry for him—and his sisters feel sorry for his wife.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Property near Sixteenth and Farnum streets was today transferred to the Interstate Oil company by the La Crosse Motor Truck company. The consideration was $400.

Millard A. Hammond today sold resident property in Onalaska to Ida P. Johnson for the sum of $1,500.

Residence property in Cargill and Hyde's addition was sold by Patrick Doyle to N. A. Magnussen. The price paid was $1,000.

The weather man is always the last one to find out that the backbone of winter has been frozen.



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SPORTS

NINETEEN INNING MIX WON BY CUBS ON WILD HEAVE

Cutshaw's High Throw to Daubert Responsible for Defeat of Dodgers

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Cubs 4; Dodgers 3

CHICAGO, June 18. — Cutshaw's wild throw over Daubert's head in the nineteenth inning sent Fisher across the plate with the run that won the game for the Cubs from Brooklyn yesterday. Fisher singled and took second after Stengel's catch of Schulte's foul to right field in this frame. McLarry walked and Saier flied to center. Then Williams grounded to Cutshaw and the second baseman's attempt to beat Williams to first was responsible for the winning run. Score:

	R	H	E
Brooklyn— 100000010000010000—3	11	4	
Chicago— 200000000000010001—4	13	4	

Batteries: Pfeffer, McCarty and Humphries, Zabel and Bresnahan.

Giants 3; Pirates 1

The score:	R	H	E
New York . . .000000300—3	9	2	
Pittsburgh . .000000010—1	8	2	

Batteries: Marquard and Meyers; McQuillan, Conselman, Gibson and Murphy.

Cards 2; Boston 0

The score:	R	H	E
Boston . . . .000000000—0	6	1	
St. Louis . . .00000020x—2	4	1	

Batteries: Rudolph and Gowdy; Robinson and Snyder.

Reds 2; Phillies 1

The score:	R	H	E
Philadelphia .000001000—1	6	2	
Cincinnati . .000000011—2	9	1	

Batteries: Mayer and Killifer; Toney and Clark.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Sox 3; Athletics 0

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 18.—It was "Eddie Collins's day" here yesterday and Eddie obliged by getting three hits out of as many times up and handling ten chances without the semblance of an error. The Sox defeated the Athletics 3 to 0. Scott was invincible, allowing only four hits, while hits were bunched on Bressler. Score:

	R	H	E
Chicago . . .010001100—3	8	0	
Philadelphia .000000000—0	4	0	

Batteries: Scott and Schalk; Bressler, Shawkey, Lapp and McAvoy.

Yankees 7; Indians 3

The score:	R	H	E
Cleveland . .000000003—3	6	1	
New York . . .00103030x—7	9	0	

Batteries: Jones, Harstad and O'Neill; Caldwell and Sweeney.

Boston 11; Browns 10

The score:	R	H	E
St. Louis . . .000001072—10	12	3	
Boston . . . .21202022x—11	11	2	

Batteries: Perryman, Hoch and Severoid; Ruth, Mays and Thomas.

Tigers 4; Senators 2

The score:	R	H	E
Detroit . . . .300001000—4	7	1	
Washington . .000000002—2	5	1	

Batteries: Dubuc, Steen and Stanage; Ayers, Harper, Gallia and Henry.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Pittfeds 8; Brooklyn 3

The score:	R	H	E
Pittsburgh . .101002040—8	13	3	
Brooklyn . . .000001011—3	9	3	

Batteries: Allen and O'Connor; Marion and Land.

St. Louis 3; Newark 2

The score:	R	H	E
St. Louis . . .000002100—3	9	2	
Newark . . . .101000000—2	11	0	

Batteries: Groom, Plank and Hartley; Moran, Kaiserling and Rariden.

Kansas City 9; Baltimore 5

The score:	R	H	E
Kansas City . .031500000—9	16	2	
Baltimore . . .01002002—5	11	3	

Batteries: Cullop and Easterly; Fender, Conley, Douglas, Vereker and Owens.

Chicago 5-5; Buffalo 2-7

First game—	R	H	E
Chicago . . . .000006500—5	10	2	
Buffalo . . . .000002000—2	3	3	

Batteries: McConnell and Wilson; Gedient, Marshall and Blair.

Second game—	R	H	E
Chicago . . . .110006102—5	5	3	
Buffalo . . . .01200013x—7	8	0	

Batteries: Johnson, Brennan and Wilson; Schulz and Allen.

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American League			
Chicago	33	20	.623
Detroit	33	22	.600
Boston	27	18	.600
New York	27	22	.551
Washington	23	23	.500
Cleveland	20	29	.408
Philadelphia	19	32	.372
St. Louis	19	33	.365
National League			
Chicago	28	21	.571
Philadelphia	27	22	.551
St. Louis	29	26	.527
Boston	24	25	.490
Pittsburg	23	25	.479
Brooklyn	24	27	.471
New York	21	24	.467
Cincinnati	20	26	.435
Federal League			
Kansas City	23	21	.611
St. Louis	28	20	.583
Pittsburg	27	23	.540
Brooklyn	28	25	.528
Chicago	28	26	.527
Newark	26	26	.500
Baltimore	18	32	.370
Buffalo	20	37	.351
American Association			
Indianapolis	36	19	.655
Kansas City	29	23	.558
Louisville	29	24	.547
Milwaukee	26	27	.491
St. Paul	25	27	.481
Cleveland	22	27	.449
Columbus	21	31	.404
Minneapolis	20	30	.400

GAMES TODAY

American League

Chicago at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Boston.
Detroit at Washington.
Cleveland at New York.

National League

Boston at St. Louis.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
New York at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.

Federal League

St. Louis at Newark.
Chicago at Buffalo.
Kansas City at Baltimore.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.

American Association

St. Paul at Milwaukee.
Minneapolis at Kansas City.
Columbus at Indianapolis.
Cleveland at Louisville.

SCRAPS

(BY BARRY FARIS)

NEW YORK, June 18.—Freddie Welch will gather in a few more shekels tonight, being billed to meet Young Lustig, a local aspirant, in a ten round no-decision affair at Ebbets field in Brooklyn. On the same card Johnny Dundee and Leach Cross, two of the foremost lightweights in the country, are scheduled to mix. The Welch-Lustig affair is not expected to furnish many thrills. The champion is generally picked to win a popular decision easildy. The Cross-Dundee bout, however, will be full of fireworks if the battlers perform true to form.

Dundee and Cross, though both of New York and veterans in the game, have never met. Intense rivalry exists.

WINS GOLF TROPHY

CHICAGO, June 18.—The Los Angeles Country club won permanent possession of the Tom Morris golf trophy. The possibility of complete returns crowding the coast club out of ownership of the trophy were exceedingly slight, local officials announced. The Los Angeles club's score of 25 down was the lowest received.

Harry Lord is surely a good example for his Buffeds, but they don't follow it. The former White Stocking himself to three doubles yesterday.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

BY HAL SHERIDAN

(Written for the United Press.)

Yesterday's Homers

Saier, Cubs, off Pfeffer, Dodgers.

Shaw, Kawfeds, off Bender, Terrapins.

Chase, Buffeds, off McConnell, Chifeds.

Hendrix, Chifeds, off Schulz, Buffeds.

George Washington Zabel hung his tintype in the hall of fame, pitching and winning a nineteen inning game from the Dodgers.

As Charles Herzog's Reds slammed the Phils, the victory gave Bresnahan's undisputed possession of first place.

The Cards trimmed the Braves and Rube Marquard won a game. 'Twill be a day long remembered.

Some guy had better do a Paul Revere through Detroit and Chicago and tell 'em that the Red Sox are coming. Carrigan's crew moved into a tie for second place by battering down the Browns' inner and outer walls.

Ed Koney must have thought he was at a track meet. His record yesterday was: Two doubles and two singles, scored a run, batted in four more, made eight putouts and one assist.

The Yanks jammed the Indians, but that was to be expected.

SPEEDWAY SWAMPED WITH SEAT DEMANDS

CHICAGO, June 18.—So great have been the demands for tickets to the first international 500 mile automobile derby that will be run over the new wood speedway bowl at Maywood, June 26, that officials today made arrangements for 20,000 extra seats to accommodate the crowds. Applications up to today had been at the rate of 2,000 daily.

Drivers and officials today called the wooden track the maximum in the matter of safety following the thrilling experience yesterday of Haupt, of the Duesenberg team. Haupt rolled a tire from the right front wheel while going ninety miles an hour. He said he did not know the tire had rolled until he leaned out to look his wheels over.

NEW YORKER LOOMS UP GIBBON'S RIVAL

Sailor Bartfield Credited with Beating the Phantom on Decoration Day

By BARRY FARIS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, June 18.—A new face has bobbed up in the ranks—already densely populated—of aspirants to the crown of the late Stanley Ketchel, king of all middleweights. Soldier Barthfield, an ex-army battler, is the newest claimant to the title.

New York boxing critics were about ready to concede the honor to Mike Gibbons, the St. Paul "Phantom," when Bartfield hurled himself into the fray. Bartfield entered via the Gibbons route, which necessarily halted the awarding of any championship honors to the Minnesotan.

Bartfield licked Gibbons in a ten round set-to Decoration day according to a majority of the ringside critics. There were some who believed a draw would have been a better verdict. But they were in the minority.

As far as New York is concerned a triple tie now exists for the middleweight belt. Gibbons, Bartfield and Young Ahearn are held here to be the three best in their class. An elimination contest between these three will clear up the situation, it is believed.

Harry Pollock is figuring on matching two of the three for his Brighton Beach open air pavilion for July 5. Just what two will be hooked up is uncertain. It likely will be Gibbons and Ahearn, however. That match will draw the biggest crowd, it is figured and the "kale" is what attracts the promoter. Bartfield is almost certain to get a crack at the winner of that match.

CREWS GET STIFF WORKOUTS TODAY

POUGHEEPSIE, N. Y., June 18.—Following the shake-ups in the Pennsylvania and Columbia crews Coaches Jim Rice and Vivian Nickalls took their squads out early today and put them through a stiff six miles row.

The Cornell crews entered the water a little later and they were followed by Syracuse, having two four-mile runs up the river and a fast time trial down the stream.

The Leland Stanford crew is expected to arrive this afternoon.

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APPLICATION FOR RETAIL LIQUOR LICENSE.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1 and part of lot 2, block 42, southeastern addition, No. 432 Mill street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 11, 1915.—Frank W. Allen.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 6, block 2, southeastern addition, No. 400 Mill street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 14, 1915.—John Amrose, Jr.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 7, block 17, original plat of the town of La Crosse, No. 205 No. 3rd street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: The Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 7, 1915.—Henry Ahrens.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 27, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 516 St. Cloud street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 8, 1915.—Otter Amsrud.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 4, block 34, original plat of North La Crosse addition, No. 616 Mill street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 14, 1915.—Ole Amsrud.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 6, block 34, original plat of North La Crosse, No. 620 Mill street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 15, 1915.—John Amsrud.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 4, block 21, Losey's addition, No. 1728 George street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 7, 1915.—Ed Boyle.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 3, block 1, Gordon's (not recorded) addition, No. 1701 Chalaska Ave., from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 9, 1915.—Olaf Brown.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 4, block 1, Lord & Rodolf's addition, No. 631 South Eighth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Emanuel C. Stupka, Joseph J. Tomsicek. Dated June 14, 1915.—John Birnbaum.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 7, block 11, Burns' addition, No. 1316 So. 4th street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co., by A. C. Klein, Atty. in fact. Dated June 16, 1915.—Jos. Beutler.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises on part of lot 131, block 16, Lord & Rodolf's addition, No. 900 South Ninth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 9, 1915. —Sebastian Boma.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, McMillan's subdivision of block 12, of Dunn, Dousmann & Cameron's addition, No. 210 South Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Emil Ruprecht, Robert Braun. Dated June 3, 1915.—Robert Bartschenfeld.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 18, original plat of the Town of La Crosse addition, No. 228 North Second street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 11, 1915.—Fred C. Burrow.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises on part of lot 3, block 13, Dunn, Dousmann & Cameron's addition, No. 417 Jay street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 8, 1915.—Nicholas Becker.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, parts of lots 4 and 5, block 8, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 111 Main street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: J. G. Jaekel, Joseph J. Tikal. Dated June 15, 1915.—David Bailey.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 6, block 22, Cameron's addition, No. 528 So. Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 10, 1915. —Edwin Behling.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 7, original plat of the Town of La Crosse, No. 201 So. Front street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 11, 1915.—Gilbert Blekum.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 5, block 11, Esperson & Burns addition, No. 1006 Mississippi street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 11, 1915.—Ben Birnbaum.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 6, block 10, original plat of the town of La Crosse, No. 125 Vine street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 11, 1915.—Fred C. Burrow.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 6, block 8, Dunn, Dousmann & Cameron's addition, No. 328 So. 3rd street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 12, 1915.—John Bekkum.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 7, block 20, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 120 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 14, 1915.—William H. Berg.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lots 1 and 2, block 33, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 130 North Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—Calvin W. Baker.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 2, block 24, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 120 North Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 1, 1915.—W. D. Cameron.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 3, block 24, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 114 North Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—E. D. Crowley.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 5, block 19, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 207 Main street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 1, 1915.—Tom Clement.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 5, block 20, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 205-207 Pearl street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 9, 1915.—E. J. Corcoran.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, E 23 ft. of the West 66 ft of lot 6 and the E 23 ft of the West 66 ft of the S 20 ft of lot original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 120 South Second street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Aetna Accident & Liability Co. Dated June 14, 1915.—A. L. Cook.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, east ½ of lot 6, block 16, original plat of town of LaCrosse addition, No. 401 North Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 9, 1915.—A. L. Dilley.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 11, Dunn, Dousman & Cameron's addition, No. 201 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 1, 1915.—Oscar G. Doering.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 3, block 19, Burns' addition, No. 1410 South Fifth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—George Durrhammer.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 10, block 8, Dunn, Dousman & Cameron's addition, No. 304 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Leo J. Bergen, John A. Elliott. Dated June 5, 1915.—Ole Egstad.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, on fractional lot 4, of the S. E. ¼ of section 29, township 16, range 7 west, No. 210 Mill street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 2, 1915.—J. L. Erickson.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 6, block 21, Losey's addition, No. 1732 George street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 11, 1915.—C. E. Engelbretsen.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, on part of lot 6, block 22, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 317 Pearl street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—John Ekland.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, north 20 feet of south 40 feet, lot 4, block 6, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 221 South Front street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 10, 1915. —S. H. Fitzwater.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 9, block 19, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 115 North Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 9, 1915.—Andrew Fairgrave.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lots 4, 5, 6 and 7, block 23, original plat of town of La Crosse addition, No. 329 Pearl street, from the first day of July,1915,to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—Jule J. Freas.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 10, block 7, second plat of B. B. Healey's addition, No. 1503 South Seventh street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 1, 1915.—Wenzel Fried.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 5, block 13, Stoddard and Levy's addition, No. 901 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 12, 1915.—Fritz Bros. by Otto Fritz.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, n 25 ft, of s 50 ft of railway land, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 115 North Front street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 8, 1915.—Peter Gunnarson.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 9, block 8, Dunn, Dousman and Cameron's addition, No. 308 South Third street, from the first day of July 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Glove Indemnity Co. Dated June 8, 1915. Oscar Gschwind.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 9, block 11., Dunn, Dousman and Cameron's addition, No. 306 South Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 7, 1915.—Frank Goethe.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 18, Dunn, Dousman and Cameron's addition, No. 113 South Fifth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: The Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 7, 1915.—Sam E. Grant.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 22, original plat of the town of La Crosse, No. 304 Pearl street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—Fred Hefti.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 31, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 328 North Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 8, 1915.—August Hedwig, Bertha Zein.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 8, south side addition, 1601 West Ave.S., from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: John A. Elliott, Matt Newberg. Dated June 4, 1915.—Peter Hettinger.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, on part of lot 1, block 3, Burns' addition, No. 1101 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 11, 1915.—Hettinger & Young, by Theodore Young.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 5, block 3, original plat of Village of North La Crosse, No. 1201 Caledonia street, from the the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co., of Chicago, Ill. Dated June 11, 1915.—J. M. Hayes.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 10, block 21, original plat of the Town of La Crosse, No. 230 Pearl street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 15, 1915.—Fred W. Harris.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 2, block 2, Southeastern addition, No. 424 Mill street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Company. Dated June 5, 1915.—Henry J. Hahn.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 9, block 7, Esperson & Burn's addition, No. 827 South Eleventh street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 11, 1915. —Herman Helgerson.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 6, block 9, Stoddard & Levy's addition, No. 800 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 9, 1915.—Louis Holtze.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 4, block 2, Burns, Durand, Smith & Rublee's addition, No. 516 North Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—Joseph Hartman.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 163, block 16, E. S. Smith's addition, No. 1301 So. 8th street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—Herman Horn.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 6, block 18, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 201, 203, 205 North Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 9, 1915.—E. D. Hunt.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 7, block 16, second plat of B. B. Healy's addition, No. 1935 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: F. J. Malin, Carl Kurtenacker. Dated June 7, 1915.—George Holzhammer.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lots 8 and 9, block 14, Clinton & Blackwell's addition, No. 2506 Mormon Coulee Road, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: Fred Siede, Edward C. Bartl. Dated June 11, 1915.—I. Ikert & Son. By I. Ikert.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 5, block 16, second plat of B. B. Healy's addition, No. 827 Green Bay street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: F. J. Malin, Carl Kurtenacker. Dated June 7, 1915.—C. H. Kriese.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 3, block 2, Southeastern addition, No. 420 Mill street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—P. J. Kelley.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 3, block 1, Lord & Rodolf's addition, No. 622 South Ninth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 4, 1915.—Mathew Kubal.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises on part of lot 4, block 2, Burns, Durand, Smith & Rublee's addition, No. 520 North Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 11, 1915.—Ole Korstad.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 4, block 13, Dunn, Dousmann & Cameron's addition, No. 421 Jay street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: Matt Newburg, Otto Loeffler. Dated June 12, 1915.—Emil Kreibich, John Kroll.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 13, Northern addition, No. 1452 Caledonia street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 11, 1915.—Peter Knudson.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 2, block 6, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 112 Pearl street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 1, 1915. —W. V. LaMay.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 7, No. 1200 South Eleventh street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 2, 1915.—Frank J. Lonkoski.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 6, block 27, Daniel Cameron's addition, No. 624 South 4th street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 9, 1915.—Frank Luedtke.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 6, block 17, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 301 North Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—J. J. Lynch.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 4, Burns, Durand, Smith & Rublee's addition, No. 700 North Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: Luedke & Anderson. By E. A. Luedke.

APPLICATION FOR RETAIL LIQUOR LICENSES

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 19, block 5, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 201 Vine street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 14, 1915.—Lyons & O'Hara. Per H. J. O'Hara.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, S. part of lot 4, of Stirneman's subdivision, No. 109 South Fifth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: Jos. A. Bartl, C. F. Cody. Dated June 7, 1915.—McKibbin & Gorsuch. By E. Gorsuch.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, meets and bounds No. 1002 Jackson street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are George Dagendesh, John Gehring. Dated June 11, 1915.—Otto Meinert.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 35, original plat of North La Crosse, No. 621 Mill street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 8, 1915.—George Melde.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 3, McMillan's subdivision of block 12, Dunn, Dousmann & Cameron's addition to La Crosse, No. 206 South Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Matt Newburg, A. L. Grams. Dated June 3, 1915.—John G. Malin.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 8, block 13, Northern addition, No. 1416 Caledonia street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—Olaf Molstad.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 12, block 17, original plat of the village of North La Crosse, No. 901 Rose street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—Mashek & Zoeller. By Joe Mashek.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 7, block 18, Clinton & Blackwell's addition, No. 2620 Mormon Coulee Road, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—Peter Muenzenberger.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 11, block 13, Northern addition, No. 1400 Caledonia street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 1, 1915.—Peter O. Mahlum.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 21, block 2, Southside addition, No. 1000 Redfield street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 2, 1915.—Frank J. Michel.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, S½ of lot 3, block 23, original plat of Town of La Crosse addition, No. 117 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Surety Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—John J. Murphy.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 14, block 8, Southeastern addition, No. 433 Avon street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. By bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 12, 1915.—Fred H. Miller.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 18, block 20, Losey's addition, No. 1834 George street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—Andrew Nelson.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 23, original plat of the town of La Crosse, No. 105 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: The Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 4, 1915.—Herman Noll.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 7, block 10, southeastern addition, No. 500 Avon street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 7, 1915.—Charles J. Newton.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 2, block 1, Spier and Canterbury s addition, No. 1646 George street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—W. H. Nicholls.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 21, block 4, Lord and Rudolf s addition, No. 628 South Sixth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—A. J. Niggli.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, on part of lot 8, block 8, Dunn, Dousman and Cameron's addition, No. 314 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1915. My bondsmen are: Matt Newburg, Casper Newburg. Dated, June 10, 1915.—Jacob Newburg.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, Louis C. Olson, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 5, block 7, Dunn, Dousman and Cameron's addition, No. 224 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 3, 1915. —Louis C. Olson.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 2, block 24, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 122 North Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 2, 1915.—Quinn & Wilkinson, by Frank Quinn.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 7, block 19, original plot of town ofLaCrosse addition, No. 109 North Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: O. Loeffler, J. A. Elliott. Dated June 14, 1915.—Ross & Safford, per J. C. Safford.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, on part of lot 12, block 24, original plat of village of North La Crosse, No. 829 Rose street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 12, 1915.—Ferdinand J. Roth.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, s 20 ft of lot 2, block 9, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 218 North Front street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 5, 1915.—A. J. Riley.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 7, block 24, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 109 North Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—Henry C. Reget.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lots 148, 149, 150 and 175, block 13, E. S. Smith's addition, No. 1304 South Sixth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 8, 1915.—Roubik Bros., by Matthew J. Roubik.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 2, block 6, original plat of the town of La Crosse, No. 211 South Front street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 1, 1915.—Emil Ruprecht.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, s 20 ft of lot 4, block 7, Dunn, Dousman and Cameron's addition, No. 228 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: American Surety Co. of New York. Dated June 10, 1915.—Christian C. Rogstad.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 2, Burns, Durand, Smith & Rublee's addition, No. 500 North Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—Leonard J. Radtke.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 27, Burns, Durand, Smith & Rublee's addition, No. 1101 La Crosse street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 1, 1915.—A. C. Rennebohm.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 9, block 23, original plat of town of LaCrosse addition,No. 110 South Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 1, 1915.—Stannard & Gautsch. By W. D. Stannard.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, south 40 feet of west 100 feet of lot 1, block 24, original plat of town of LaCrosse addition,No. 126 North Third St., rfom the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 14, 1915.—C. F. Storandt.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lots 6 and 7, block 24, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 327 Main street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 4, 1915.—Schultz & Seaton.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 10, block 18, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 229 North Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 8, 1915.—Christ Simenson.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, in section 5, township 15, range 7 west, No. 948 Jackson street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 7, 1915.—Valentine Scibiorski.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 4, block 13, Dunn, Dousman & Cameron's addition, No. 120 South Fifth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Otto Loeffler, Frank Mader. Dated June 11, 1915.—Henry Schroeder.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 7, block 24, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 111 North Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 3, 1915. Harry L. Starr.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 4, block 22, Cameron's addition, No. 619 South Second street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 5, 1915. —John Schwaezerl.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 11, block 7, south side addition, No. 1310 Denton street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 9, 1915. —J. P. Strasser.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 3, Healy and Anderson's addition, No. 1010 South Sixteenth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: William Steppe, Joseph A. Bartl. Dated June 14, 1915.—Joseph Surdick.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1-2, block 28, Burns, Durand, Smith and Rublee's addition, No. 1301 LaCrosse street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 9, 1915. —Fred Siede, Emil Freise.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 5, block 10, Dunn, Dousman and Cameron's addition, No. 427 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 8, 1915.—Geo. E. Schneeberger.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, s ½ of lot 12, block 27, original plat of village of North La Crosse, No. 515 Hagar street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916.—My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—Hans Skundberg.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, n 1-3 of lot 7, block 11, Dunn, Dousman and Cameron's addition, No. 318 South Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 8, 1915.—Frank J. Stupka.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 8, block 21, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 210 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—Ole Swennes.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, s 40 ft and w 25 ft lot 5, block 20, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 201 Pearl street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 1, 1915.—Schmidt & Schultz.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 10, block 7, Burns' addition, No. 1110 South Fifth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—Chas. J. Selonke.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 4, block 19, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 106-108 North Second street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—William Schultz.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, on part of lot 13, block 27, original plat of village of North La Crosse, No. 701 Rose street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 12, 1915.—Simon Sundehn.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lots 8, 9 and 10, block 12, Clinton & Blackwell's addition, No. 2406 Mormon Coulee road, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: F. J. Malin, Carl Kurtenacker. Dated June 7, 1915.—George F. Smith.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon to be drank on the premises, south ½ of lot 6, block 3, original plat of village of North La Crosse, No. 506 Mill street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 14, 1915.—Larry Scurry. Stewart G. Murphy.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 6, block 2, Northern addition, No. 1221 Caledonia street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 12, 1915.—G. F. Stuhr.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 10, block 21, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 218 Pearl street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Otto Loeffler, Casper Newburg. Dated June 14, 1915.—A. C. Timp.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, part of lot 5, block 20, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 211 Pearl street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 4, 1915.—Louis Tally.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, on part of lot 6, block 23, original plat of town of La Crosse, No. 331 Pearl street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. Our bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 8, 1915.—Wendling Bros. By Philip Wendling.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 15, Stoddard & Levy's addition, No. 1031 South Fourth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New England Casualty Co. Dated June 4, 1915.—Adolph J. Wanner.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, N½ of lot 3, block 3, original plat of North La Crosse, No. 524 Mill street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—Samuel Wheeler.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 10, block 19, original plat of Town of La Crosse, No. 129 North Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 7, 1915. —John Williams.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 10, block 11, Dunn, Dousmann & Cameron's addition, No. 300 So. 4th street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Frank Lohstreter, Robert Braun. Dated June 8, 1915.—Nick P. Werel.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises on part of lot 108, block 15, Lord & Rodolf's addition, No. 901 South Seventh street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 8, 1915.—Theodore C. Weisbecker.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, block 5, Losey's addition, No. 2122 George street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 10, 1915.—John P. Wunnecke.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 1, block 12, Dunn, Dousmann & Cameron's addition, No. 213 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 9, 1915.—Jos. Wegman.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, citizens of the United States, hereby make application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lots 5 and 6, block 29, Burns, Durand, Smith and Rublee's addition, No. 1200 La Crosse street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July 1916. Our bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—Weigel & Swords, by W. J. Weigel.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, lot 7, block 1, Gohres' addition, No. 1703 George street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 11, 1915.—John M. Voves.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises, part of s ½ of sw ¼ of se ¼ of section 5, township 15, north of range 7 west, No. 1229 South Twelfth street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: New Amsterdam Casualty Co. Dated June 11, 1915.—Frank J. Voves.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned, a citizen of the United States, hereby makes application for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquor in quantities less than one gallon, to be drank on the premises on part of lot 5, block 27, Daniel Cameron's addition, No. 629 South Third street, from the first day of July, 1915, to the first day of July, 1916. My bondsmen are: Globe Indemnity Co. Dated June 3, 1915.—Phillip Young.

APPLICATION FOR WHOLESALE LICENSE.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse: The undersigned hereby makes application for license to sell on the premises, designated as No. 222-224 Pearl street, strong, spirituous, malt, ardent and intoxicating liquors in any quantity not to be drank on the premises, from the first Tuesday in July, A. D. 1915, to the first Tuesday in July, A. D. 1916. Our bondsmen are: Casper Newburg, Matt Newburg. Dated June 14, 1915. —The Elliott-Loeffler Co.

To the Common Council of the City of La Crosse. The undersigned hereby makes application for license to sell on the premises, designated as No. 127 South Third street, Strong, Spirituous, Malt, Ardent, and Intoxicating Liquors in any quantity not to be drank on the premises, from the first Tuesday in July, A. D., 1915, to the first Tuesday in July, A. D., 1916. My bondsmen are: Illinois Surety Co. Dated June 14, 1915.—Clifford Cody.

A lot of men should be equipped with sand boxes, like the street cars.

FEDERAL FARMERS PLEAD FOR CROP DIVERSIFICATION

Better Results Are Obtained It Says Through Rotation of Crops

WASHINGTON, June 18.—"Diversification" of crops is one of the scientific farming tenets being pounded home today by the department of agriculture. It is getting results, but some of the results of the campaign are amusing as well as gratifying. An expert of the department received word from a southern farmer that he was "diversifying" by quitting sugar planting and using all his land instead to raise tomatoes.

The department's plan is to foster production of home gardens, encourage thrift by teaching people to can fruit and vegetables for home use—to have farmers grow their own hay, peas, corn, potatoes, oats and some cane or sorghum for syrup, and to produce their own meat supply if possible. In the south the department's experts are particularly driving in the idea that there is almost always some waste land which could be profitably used to raise livestock for the family meat supply at least.

Should Encourage Birds

"Encourage the robin and bluebird" is the advice of the department of agriculture biologists. These birds will more than compensate for occasional depredations by the assistance they render in killing undesirable insects, according to the experts.

They can be prevented from eating desirable fruits, it is pointed out, by providing them with a supply of wild ones for winter diet when insect food is scarce.

Plover is Hardy

An aerial machine which can fly 2,400 miles without a stop is a marvel to which attention is called by the department of agriculture in a bulletin on bird migration. "The golden plover is the record breaking flyer, it is stated. The bird can make the 2,400 miles in 48 hours, too, and use only two ounces of fuel in the shape of body fat. The bird observers also note that a thousand pound aeroplane, if as economical with fuel, would consume only one pint of gasoline in a 200 mile flight. The to-and-fro-motion of a bird's wings, it is related, also appears uneconomical, compared to the almost total lack of lost motion in an aeroplane's propellor.

Warns Against Moth

Warning against the European pine moth as a ravager of forests is being issued by the forestry bureau. This pest eats out the new buds in such a way that timber is permanently and seriously damaged. As the moths feed mostly on young trees between 6 and 15 years old, it stunts their growth. Some trees are rendered unsightly, crippled, and of no commercial value.

Destruction of the infected buds is the only way found so far of combating the new pest. Insectides will not reach it after it gets into winter quarters. Pruning of the infected buds and twigs is said to be the most successful ruse against the moth. A trace of pitch at the base of the hole where the larvee enters is the test to find the pine moth.

Pig Clubs

"Pig clubs" are a new enterprise attaining increased success this spring and summer, according to reports being received daily at the agriculture department. A "pig club" is practically a contest of boys —and girls, too—in raising pigs. Bankers are lending money to the children to buy a pig to raise.

The new movement to encourage children to take an interest in agriculture generally and stock raising particularly is said to have started in Arkansas. It has attained great proportions in Georgia, where pig clubs are now operating in 14 counties, carried on by the banks which have lent money to purchase purebred pigs.

In other counties promoters of pedigreed livestock or wealthy citizens are advancing the money to the pig club members.

In some places the boys and girls who wish to buy a pig get the money on their own individual notes. In others the banks require endorsements of the parents. This movement instills thrift and often is the beginning of new bank accounts. One bank at Macon, Ga., has set aside $500 to loan to pig clubs.

TODAY'S ODDEST STORY

JOPLIN, Mo., June 18.—William Miller, 101 years old who wanted to marry for the third time asked a local minister to get him a license to wed. The minister pulled a form from his desk and started to write.

"And the er-er young lady's name is?" he asked.

Miller didn't know his his bride-to-be other than she was "that widow woman who keeps house for me."

He returned home to ask his intended her name.

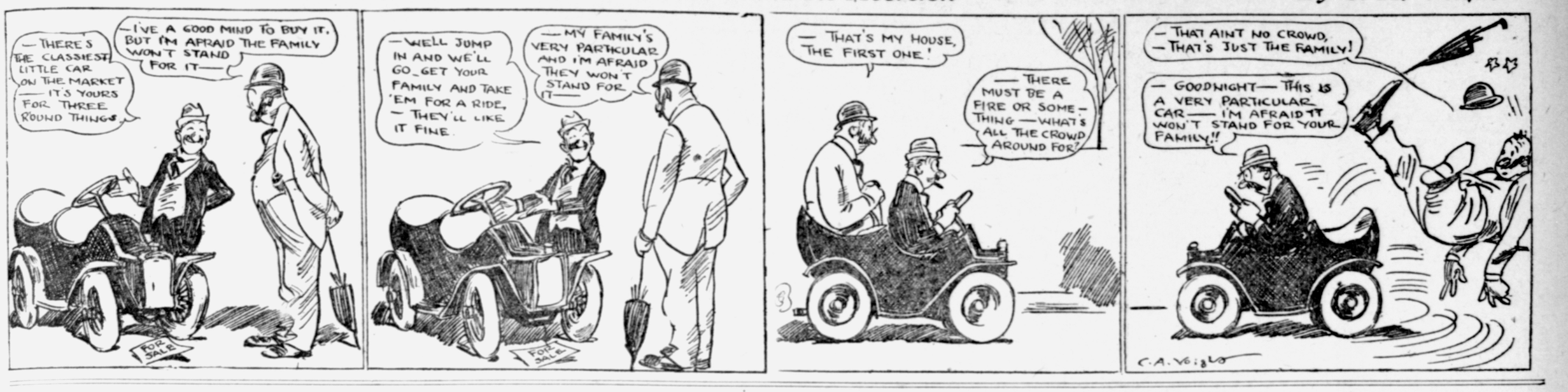
First Safety Matches.

Safety matches did not come into use until 1852, when a Swede by the name of J. E. Lundstrom started to make these matches at Jonkoping, although his process had been patented eight years previously by another Swede, G. E. Pasch, who, however, never put into practical use his invention.

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By C. A. Voight



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FOR SALE—A nice home, can be used as a duplex, at Eighth street. On 15th and Denton a fine house and a large corner lot. Also at 1701 Prospect a good five room house, all in good repair. A fine lot on Eighth and Ferry, and also at 23rd and Cass streets. A nice home in Kissimont, Florida. Aug. Kaaz, 1220 Mississippi street. New phone 1287-M. 6 17 30

FOR SALE—19 foot Kenebec Sponson motor canoes, 2½ h. p. motor. Unsippable, non-sinkable. Carry three to five people with perfect safety. Demonstration to interested people. Complete $125. J. K. Kidder, agent, 114 North Fifth. New phone 85. 5 14 tf

FOR SALE—Mitchel car, 5 passenger, 6 cylinder 65 h. p., electric lighting and self starter, first class condition. Will demonstrate. Call up or write J. L. Wright, Tomah, Wis. 6 18 7 1

FOR SALE—All kinds of household furniture, fixtures, bedroom sets, chairs, tables, chiffoniers and large clothes press. Owner leaving city. 417 South Thirteenth street. 6 8 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, saloon property on South Salem road, including furniture and fixtures. Alps Four-Mile House. Inquire on premises. 6 15 22

FOR SALE—Fifteen room house and three lots. Can easily be converted into flats. 1915 Prospect street. Inquire Marvin & Dubraks, or 744-M. 6 17 19

FOR SALE—One Stimpson No. 70 computing scale, just like new, cheap if taken at once. Box 84, Rockland, Wis. 6 17 19

FOR SALE—Dining table, four dining-room chairs and ice box. 1112½ Winnebago street. Call new phone 919-C 6 15 21

FOR SALE—Horse. Will trade on bicycle. Box 322, City. 6 16 18

FOR SALE—12 horse gasoline engine, almost new. With a 20 inch clutch pulley. Wm. Fuller, Tunnel City, Wis. 6 15 19

FOR SALE—Five room modern house with two lots, fruit garden and poultry house. New phone 640-M. 6 15 21

FOR SALE—House, barn, two lots, $1,000. Farm, crop, stock and machinery, $60 per acre. Box 322, La Crosse. 6 16 19

FOR SALE—Four room cottage, 1520 La Crosse, $800. Inquire 1332 Pine. 6 17 7 16

FOR SALE—Twenty-two foot family launch, two cylinder Vim motor. Cheap. Will demonstrate. New phone 1784-R. 6 14 26

CLOSING OUT a choice line leather and beaded handbags, up-to-date stock, at wholesale cost. Mrs. Soell, 523 Main street.

FOR SALE—22 h. p. 2 cyc. five passenger Buick motor car, $150. La Crosse Car Co., 219 North Third St. 6 14 tf

FOR SALE—Cottage at 1126 Pine street. Bargain. Also lot on 17th street, between Cass and Madison. New phone 426-A. 6 17 19

FOR SALE—Way sagless spring, good as new; iron bed, suitable for parlor bedroom, both for $10.00. Call 8831 old phone. 6 17 19

FOR SALE—Fifty 16 quart empty strawberry cases, 5c each. New phone 7536. Old phone 749. 6 17 30

FOR SALE Two horses and a pony. 526 Oakland street. 6 14 19

FOR SALE—Two cook stoves, one wire flower stand, cheap. 909 South Sixth. 6 15 28

FOR SALE 22 foot launch hull. Call at 629 North Ninth street. 6 15 28

FOR SALE Two burner Quick Meal gasoline stove. 210 North Third (upstairs). 6 16 22

FOR SALE—Cheap, 20 foot 5 h. p. launch. Inquire 1020 So. Front. 6 16 18

FOR SALE—Cheap, six English red cap chickens and one rooster. New phone 1495-C. 6 17 30

FOR SALE—Full bred male beagle hound pups. New phone 1417-M. 6 18 21

FOR SALE—Gentleman's bicycle. Call 508 Division. 6 16 22

FOR SALE—Three piece parlor suit and iron bed. 903 Hood. 6 11 24

FOR SALE—Nice cottage on 1556 Denton. Bargain. 6 18 7 1

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five room lower flat, $11. 1523 Badger street. 6 14 tf

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms with screened porch for camping, near river. Call Mrs. A. E. Webster, Dresbach, Minn. New phone 1189-A.

FOR RENT—Newly decorated modern residence on Seventh between Main and State. New phone 570-A. 6 16 19

ROOM FOR RENT—Large front room on best residence corner near down town. Write "M. M." care Tribune. 6 16 tf

FOR RENT—Six room flat, city heat and water, $38 per month. 126 South Eleventh street. H. L. Taylor, 205 State Bank building. 5 31 tf

FOR RENT—Five rooms in double house, North Seventh street, all modern, city heat. Rent reasonable. Address W. A., Tribune. 6 2 tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms at $7 and $10 per month. 1132 State. 6 15 18

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 305 South Fifth. 6 16 18

FOR RENT—Six room modern house, 137 South Ninth. Inquire 133 South Ninth. 6 16 18

FOR RENT—Five room furnished flat, modern, for light housekeeping. 712 Cass. 6 16 22

FOR RENT—Four room flat furnished, modern, for light housekeeping. 712 Cass. 6 16 22

FOR RENT—House, electric lights, gas, bath. 1302 Kane street. Phone new 830-M. 523 Main street. 6 10 tf

FOR SALE—Seven horse Indian, first class condition. Inquire 818 Adams. 4 24 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished house until November 1. Call 928-A. 5 20 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, single or in suite, for light housekeeping. Phone 1739-M. 6 14 24

FOR RENT—Newly modern furnished rooms. 324 Jay. 6 16 18

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 517 South Fourth. 6 7 19

FOR RENT—Furnished front room. 714 Cass. 6 15 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

A YOUNG MAN, bookkeeper and stenographer, with one year's office experience and willing to make himself generally useful, desires a position in the city. Address Box 594, City. 6 18 21

SAMPLES and circulars distributed. Also, typewriting and addressing. Our motto, "Honest service and records." Call 1780-A or write A-Z Trade Service Co., 1105 Caledonia street. 5 9 19

FOR THE BEST GRADE of gasoline and oil engines, engineering equipments, pumps, implements and vehicles, see the Castle Engineering Co., 325-327 Jay street. 3 24 tf

WANTED—Violin scholars. J. Harvey West, 986-A or 1534 Berlin street. 5 24 tf

WANTED TO BUY—A launch, must be in good condition. Call old phone 2916. 6 16 22

WANTED TO BUY—Evinrude portable motor for row boat. Must be in good condition. Address S. F., care of Tribune. 6 12 18

FOR A GOOD RIDE with your family with large touring car call new phone 287-M, old phone 3482. Prices reasonable. 6 12 19

MOULIS BROS., cement work of all kinds. 1616 South Tenth. 6 5 18

DON'T FORGET you can get good home cooked meals at Y. W. C. A. 6 16 7 15

AUTO FOR HIRE—Family trade solicited. Call 1780-A. 6 5 tf

LOST

LOST—Imitation diamond ring, between Fourth and Division and 51 South Fifth. Return to 327 Main or call 809-M. Liberal reward. 6 14 19

LOST—Gold bar pin, diamond setting, in front of 821 King street or 709 South Fourth. Return to 821 King. Liberal reward. 6 16 18

LOST—Brindle bull pup, four white feet and breast, collar with initial F. W. H. Return to 230 Pearl. Reward. 6 12 25

LOST—Man's tan purse containing money. Return to Tribune office for reward. 6 18 21

LOST—Monday afternoon, 55c. Call 485-M. Reward. 6 16 18

FOUND

FOUND—Boat. Owner call and pay for ad. 1123 Berlin. 6 16 18

Stoves and Furniture

SECOND-HAND furniture & Stoves. Bell Furniture Co., 216 So. Third. 3 17 tf

FINANCIAL

TEN DOLLARS A MONTH paid into Fourth Building Association will amount to $527 in four year. 6 14 tf

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 tf

Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Children whose parents are addicted to nagging are entitled to lots of sympathy.

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., June 18.—(Special.)—Dr. and Mrs. E. Steiger have received tidings that their nephew, a younger son of Mrs. Ellen Rising of Minneapolis, is with the British forces fighting against the Turks in the Dardanelles.

Work was begun this week on the new residence of City Treasurer Fred Hammerly on South Church street, opposite St. Mary's college.

A handsome fifteen room dwelling is being erected by the Ahrens Brothers on their farm north of the city.

William Huard visited at the home of his daughter, Mrs. D. H. Dyer in La Crosse Thursday and Friday and attended high school commencement exercises, his granddaughter, Miss Sadie Dyer, being one of the graduates.

Hiram Wagner went to Fond du Lac, bringing with him on his return his aged mother, who will spend the summer at his home.

Miss Addie Loeper arrived home Thursday from Hibbing, Minn., where she has just finished her seventh year as instructor of mathematics in the high school. Miss Loeper will leave next Monday to attend the university summer school in Madison.

A message was received by the Atchison family informing them of the serious illness of the eldest son, William, living at Columbus, Wis. Mrs. Atchison has gone to her son's bedside.

R. O. Walker is home from Tarpon Springs, Fla., to attend to business matters and visit relatives and friends.

William Mueller is home from La Crosse after a ten weeks' hospital experience during which time he submitted to a serious operation and suffered an attack of double pneumonia. Mr. Mueller lost sixty-two pounds in weight during his illness.

Mrs. E. T. McClosky entertained the St. Vincent de Paul society on Thursday afternoon at her home on Minnesota street.

Miss Wheeler and Miss Erwin of Minneapolis are guests of Mrs. Hiram Wagner.

Rev. W. A. Munday of Lancaster will hold services Sunday at Trinity Episcopal church.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huard were La Crosse visitors Thursday.

Mrs. R. E. McLenahan and two children arrived Thursday for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Paris.

SPANISH WAR VETS MEET IN MARINETTE

Military Order of the Serpent Is Big Noise in the Annual Encampment

MARINETTE, Wis., June 18.—The sixteenth annual encampment of the United Spanish War Veterans opened here yesterday afternoon with a reception and registration of delegates. The ladies' auxiliaries and the Military Order of the Serpent are holding their annual meetings in conjunction. Delegates are here from practically every city in the state. Headquarters has been established in the Hotel Marinette. Business sessions will be held in the Temple of Honor hall. A banquet will be held this evening, followed by a military ball.

Tomorrow will be the "big day" of the encampment. The M. O. S. will give its famous "grand crawl," officers will be elected, and several important business sessions held. Following custom, it is believed the present officers will be moved up. Carl A. Buchhola of Janesville, senior vice department commander, is out to succeed Department Commander R. C. Burchard of Fort Atkinson, while George O. Henning of La Crosse, past commander, probably will succeed Charles G. Juneau of Milwaukee, junior commander. A. J. Obenberger of Milwaukee, grand datto of the M. O. S., probably will succeed Henning as grand gu gu grandissimo. The cities making the strongest campaign for the 1916 encampment are Racine and Ashland.

The M. O. S. which was incorporated in 1907, now has grand lairs in the departments of Hawaii, Philippines, California, Colorado, Connecticut, District of Columbia, Illinois, Indiana, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Missouri, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Kentucky, New Jersey, Kansas and Wisconsin. There are five lairs in this state. They are: Milwaukee lair, Milwaukee; Aibonita lair, La Crosse; Bilibid lair, Ashland; Ponce lair, Superior, and Luson lair, Sheboygan. Beaver Dam and Wisconsin are making preparations to establish lairs soon.

The "grand crawl" will consist of a parade in which the members will be attired to represent the various tribes of the islands, and will be headed by a serpent 35 feet long.

The final business session will be held Saturday morning. A trolley ride will be held in the afternoon and the annual campfire will take place in the evening.

Jessie Booth Perry of Chicago, president general of the ladies' auxiliary, is here and will take a prominent part in the business sessions.

Dr. T. W. Dorward of Milwaukee was the speaker of the day. Prof. Fawcett of the Racine Agricultural school gave a talk of special interest to the farmers. The Yorkville M. E. society had charge of the dinner which was served at noon. A baseball game between the Case Eagles and the local team was scheduled for this afternoon.

Watch This Space

$2,200 Today.

Best building lot in down-town district on Cass street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, 69½ foot frontage. Price will be reduced $25 per day until sold. Inquire E. H. Derr, Owner.

Daily Markets

(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Market)

Cartaloupes, Calif. 45 Standard $4.00
Cantaloupes, Calif. 45 Ponies . . $3.00
Bananas, bunch . . . . $2.00 to $2.50
Lemons, Sunkist, per box $4.50
Oranges, fancy Valencias $3.75
Oranges, Valencias $3.50
Oranges, choice Valencias $3.00
Cider, pure juice, half bbl. . . . $3.25
Cider, steam refined, bbl. . . . $6.50
Cider, pure juice, bbl. $6.00
Cider, crab apple, half bbl. . . $5.50
Cider, steam refined, half bbl. . $3.50
Onions, white, crate $1.25
Potatoes, per bushel, old 60c
Potatoes, new, per bu. $1.80
Grape fruit, size 36 . . . . . $3.25
Grape fruit, size 46 . . . . . $3.00
Grape fruit, size 54 . . . . . $3.50
Grape fruit, size 64 . . . . . $3.50
Strawberries, 16 qt. case $1.75
Cabbage, new, per crate $2.25
Pineapples, per crate $2.75
Cherries, Calif., box $1.50
Cherries, Ill., 16t. case $2.00

Livestock

(By Farmers' Co-operative Packing Company.)

Hogs . . . . . $6.25 to $7.00
Cows . . . . . $3.00 to $5.00
Steers . . . . . $4.00 to $7.00
Heifers . . . . . $3.50 to $5.50
Sheep . . . . . $5.00 to $6.00
Spring lambs . . . . . $7.00 to $8.00

Poultry

Chickens . . . . . 10 to 11
Turkeys 12½c
Ducks 10c
Geese 9c

Provisions

Lard, per pound . . . . . 11 to 11½c
Shoulders 11c
Picnics, per pound . . . . . 10½ to 11c
Bacon, per pound . . . . . 16 to 22c
Ham per pound . . . . . 15 to 16c
Dried beef, per pound . . . . 18 to 22c

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per barrel $6.90
Straight, per barrel $6.70

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks . . $24.00
Shorts, ton, 100 lb. sacks . . . $26.00
White middlings, per ton, 100 pound sacks $32.00
Red Dog, per ton, 100lb. sacks $34.00

Grain

(Quoted by Farmers' Co-operative Market Co.)

Corn . . . . . 70 to 80c
Oats . . . . . 48 to 55c
Wheat . . . . . $1.00 to $1.20
Rye . . . . . 90 to 95c
Barley . . . . . 70 to 75c

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound . . 28 to 29c
Dairy butter, pound 25c
Eggs, fresh, dozen 18c

Cheese

(Quoted by H. Anderegg.)

Fancy full cream twins . . 15 to 16c
Fancy full cream daisies . . 15 to 16c
Fancy full cream limburger 14 to 17c
Fancy full cream Swiss block . . 17c

London's Milk Supply.

No less than 60,000,000 gallons of milk are received in London by rail every year, the output of at least 120,000 cows.

Kept Safe From Theft.

In the sixteenth century dictionaries were chained in the schoolhouses as Bibles were in the churches, by reason of their costliness and rarity.

Foreign Markets

New York Stocks

NTW YORK, June 18.—Baldwin Locomotive led the specialties by an advance of one point in the stock market opening today, followed by Steel up ⅝, Crucible Steel ¼ and Westinghouse ⅛. The railroads were irregular. Union Pacific showed a gain of ⅛ while Chesapeake & Ohio was off ¼.

The stock market suffered a slight reaction on the news of the western cyclone, although the trade was not strong at any time since the opening. Distillers' Securities was alone in its advance, gaining 1⅞ points. Steel was firm.

Trading around noon was broader than at any time during the day and prices held what they had gained at the opening, Steel selling for 60½, American Can 45½, Union Pacific 128 and Baldwin Locomotive 63¼.

Trading became dull in the early afternoon except in a few specialties. The stock market closed weak.

New York Money

NEW YORK, June 18.—Money on call, 1¾%; time money, 2¾ to 3% for six months; prime mercantile, 3½ to 4%.

Bar silver: London, 23⅜d; New York, 49⅛c.

Demand sterling, 4.76¾.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 18.—Cattle — Receipts 100; market steady; steers, $7.00 to $9.00; cows and heifers, $4.60 to $8.70; stockers and feeders, $7.00 to $8.30; calves, $5.00 to $10.00.

Hogs — Receipts 1,500; market steady to 5c higher; bulk, $7.35 to $7.55; heavy, $7.35 to $7.50; medium, $7.35 to $7.60; light, $7.35 to $7.60.

Sheep — Receipts 50; market steady; lambs, $7.00 to $9.50; ewes, $4.50 to $5.50; stockers and feeders, $4.25 to $7.50.

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., June 18.—Hogs — Receipts 13,000; market slow, 5 to 10c higher; mixed and butchers, $7.30 to $7.75; good heavy, $7.45 to $7.65; rough heavy, $7.00 to $7.20; light, $7.50 to $7.50; pigs, $6.00 to $7.45.

Cattle — Receipts 1,000; market strong; beeves, $6.80 to $9.50; cows and heifers, $3.25 to $9.00; Texans, $6.80 to $8.30; calves, $7.25 to $10.25.

Sheep — Receipts 7,000; market weak; native, $5.50 to $6.35; western, $5.70 to $6.40; lambs, $6.75 to $9.25; western, $7.00 to $9.25; spring lambs, $6.25 to $9.75.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, June 18. — Butter—Creamery extras, 27c; extra firsts, 26 to 26½c; firsts, 24½ to 25½c; seconds, 23 to 24c.

Eggs — Ordinaries, 16 to 16½c; firsts, 17¼ to 17½c.

Cheese — Twins, 13 to 13½c, Young Americas, 15 to 15½c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 13c; ducks, 13c; young ducks, 15 to 16c; geese, 8 to 9c; spring geese, 14 to 15c; springs, 18 to 23c; turkeys, 11c.

Potatoes—Receipts 37 cars; Wisconsin white, 30 to 35c; red, 30 to 32c; Michigan white, 30 to 35c; red, 30 to 32c. New, 30 cars; Texas, 75c to 90c per bushel.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, June 18.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.14½ to $1.16½; No. 3 red, $1.13⅝ to $1.14½; No. 2 hard, $1.19½ to $1.20½; No. 3 hard, $11.8¾.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 76¼ to 77¼c; No. 3 yellow, 75⅝ to 76¾c; No. 6 yellow, 75½ to 76¼c; No. 2 white, 76¾ to 77½c; No. 3 white, 76½ to 77c; No. 2 mixed, 76 to 77c; No. 3 mixed, 75⅝ to 77c; No. 6 mixed, 75⅝ to 76⅜c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 48½ to 49½c; No. 4 white, 48¼ to 48½c; Standard, 49⅛ to 50¼c; barley, 69 to 74c; rye, No. 2, $1.16 to $1.17; timothy, $5.00 to $6.50; clover, $8.50 to $13.50.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, June 18.—The lower wheat prices that have prevailed of late in the face of disinterestedness of foreign buyers and reports of bumper crops was somewhat offset today by reports of the heavy rains and the tornadoes which visited Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma and Iowa late last night and early tody. As result, prices were rather sharply higher, the opening showing overnight advances of 1¾ to 1⅞c. Quite a bit of selling on the initial bulge caused a slight temporary reaction which later, however, gave way again to advances that at one time reached ¼c above the opening.

Corn acted sympathetically with wheat, especially during the early hours of trading. Later there was considerable selling of July and prices receded ¼c, while September futures remained unchanged at the opening.

Oats also were affected by the other grains. Prices were up at the opening. Later July declined a fraction from the opening while September advanced ⅛c.

Provisions were higher on the wheat strength and reduced receipts.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
July . .	105	106¼	104⅛	105⅝
Sept. . .	104	105	102¼	104⅛
CORN —				
July . .	74⅜	76	74⅝	75
Sept. . .	75½	76⅛	74⅞	75
OATS—				
July . .	45&	46	45¼	45⅝
Sept. . .	40¼	40⅞	39⅜	40⅜
PORK—				
July . .	17.00	17.12	16.95	16.95
Sept. . .	17.45	17.55	17.35	17.35
LARD—				
July . .	9.50	9.52	9.42	9.42
Sept. . .	9.75	9.80	9.70	9.72
RIBS—				
July . .	10.35	10.40	10.35	10.37
Sept. . .	10.67	10.75	10.67	10.70

Fortunate Countries.

The lands most free from earthquake convulsions are Africa, Australia, Russia, Siberia, Scandinavia and Canada.

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One slightly used Player Piano $250
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One Columbia Graphaphone, good as new, and 25 records at $10
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We want to assure you that everyone entering the contest has an equal opportunity of securing one of the largest premiums. The judges will be three disinterested men of this city. Don't delay answering, but send in your solution today. CONTEST CLOSES JUNE 28, 1915, at 6 P. M. Mail or bring your answer before this date.

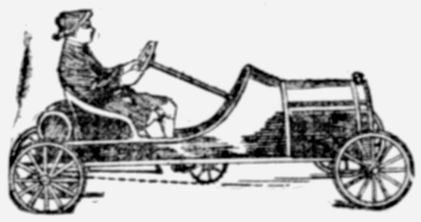
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MRS. FRANK UTTER OF TREMPEALEAU WAS ON FRONTENAC

Stays on Boat After All Had Fled and Is Finally Taken Off by Husband Who Was Engineer

TREMPEALEAU, Wis., June 18.—(Special.)—Mrs. Frank Utter was on board the steamer Frontenac when the boat crashed into the pier just below the railroad bridge at Winona Saturday night. Mrs. Utter was carried off the boat by her husband, who was engineer. They were the last ones to leave the boat.

Winona "Y" Boys Camp

Forty Y. M. C. A. boys from Winona are in camp at Trempealeau lakes. The camp is known as Camp Hayes. Secretary McDonald and an advance guard arrived last week to get the camp in readiness for the full brigade which arrived Monday over the Burlington.

The train stopped at the lakes to let the boys off at the camp grounds. The camp is well organized and no detail for the enjoyment of the boys has been omitted. The camp is well governed. The leaders named are Vincent Conrad, Newton Holland, Emmet Raymond, Earl Jewell, Arthur Gallien, C. E. Palmer, T. A. Carey, physical director of the local association. On June 24 La Crosse boys are expected to arrive here.

Local and Personal

Misses May Thomas and Lucy Holmes leave Saturday over the Burlington for points in Washington and will attend the Panama exposition before returning. They will be gone six weeks.

Clarence Hayter, Pearl Winters, Lizzie Hayter and Josephine Winters autoed to Winona Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Ingalls received word Sunday morning of the death of her son-in-law, Frank Gibbons, of San Diego, Cal.

Mr. William Merwin, who has been confined to the St. Francis hospital at La Crosse for the past six weeks, returned home Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Wilkinson spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Siewert at Centerville.

Mayor Bright, Leo Smith and W. C. Thomas attended the U. C. T. convention at Winona Saturday.

Harold Holmes returned Thursday from Madison, where he has been attending the university.

Bert Lane and family have occupied their new bungalow. Rev. D. C. Jones of La Crosse has rented their home on Second street for the summer.

Verna Bigelow has returned from Stevens Point, where he has been attending school.

Miss Hazel Atwood left Sunday for a two weeks' visit in Ripon.

Mrs. Charlie Morris died very suddenly Thursday morning at 4 o'clock of heart failure.

About one hundred enjoyed the excursion to La Crosse last Saturday.

Mrs. Darms and daughter Vera of Bangor are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Waldon.

Gene Atwood and Lucy Church were visitors in Winona Saturday.

Miss Della Beebe of Winona was the guest of Pearl Winters Sunday.

Mrs. Seymour Adams of Kasson, Minn., is the guest of Mrs. L. E. Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Carhart, Mack Carhart, Mildred Carhart and Mrs. M. Babbitt autoed to Eau Claire Saturday.

Miss Ann Bue was the guest of Lucy Holmes Sunday.

Mrs. Hinkley of La Crosse was the guest of Retta Utter over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Crosen are enjoying a visit from their daughter of Hope, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Pittinger spent Tuesday at the home of Abner Hess.

Mrs. George Hall and daughter are guests at the home of George Moore.

Miss Amanda Zimmerman returned home from a month's visit in Minnesota.

Teressa Marquette of Sparta was the guest of Mrs. Henry Gueverkow Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Patterson of Crandall are visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Fred Graves is visiting relatives in Reedsburg.

A. C. Thomas of Chicago is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas.

Mrs. Ida Taylor of Minneapolis is the guest of Miss Aletta Goodhue.

Otis Hutchins is visiting relatives in Independence.

Lawrence Stangl was in Galesville on business Tuesday.

Mrs. L. Hutchins is visiting friends in Galesville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam had as their guests at supper Sunday night Miss Della Beebe of Winona and Pearl Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wellum entertained at dinner Tuesday night their guests being Rev. and Mrs. Wilkenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls entertained at dinner Sunday. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Growt, Mrs. Emma Dunham of Chicago and Mrs. Charlotte Nicholls.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Holmes were guests at dinner at Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Holmes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Winters entertained at dinner Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam and Mrs. Seymour Adams of Kasson, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elkins entertained at dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gilbert of Forrester, Minn., and Mr. and Mrs. William Bright.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gilbert and family came by auto from Forrester, Minn., and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Bright. Mrs. Gilbert is a sister of Mrs. Bright.

Mrs. A. A. Holmes, Lucy Holmes and Mrs. J. Johnston attended the O. E. S. at North La Crosse Tuesday.

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FISH STORY SEASON OPENS

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 18.—Ed Weisenburger, who alleges himself to be a truthful liquor salesman, today was given the rank of producing the first big fish story of the day. It was about how he caught a pound pike at fashionable White Bear Lake, with his bare hands. Mistaking a sun fish for Jonah, the big pike had apparently attempted to swallow the little sun fish. But a sun fish, being constituted in such a manner as not to lend itself to ready swallowing, stuck. It was too big to go down and too prickly to come up. When the pike was all in and evidently wished the sun fish was too, it swam peacefully up to shore, and according to Weisenburger, looked at him appealing to be caught.

The Difference.

Mrs. Bilton—"That Mrs. Jinks is always very well dressed, while her husband always looks shabby." Bilton—"Well, she dresses according to fashion, and he according to his means.—Judge.

SOLDIERS ARE CARED FOR IN FRENCH TRENCHES BY ROYAL MEDICAL CORPS

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE BRITISH ARMY, Northern France, April 29.—(By Mail to New York.)—"How shall we distribute them to the soldiers, sir?" asked an officer who came up during my conversation with the director of medical service.

"It doesn't make so much difference what channel we turn them into just so the soldiers get them," answered the director.

"We've just found a simple apparatus for our soldiers to wear that will save them from the German gases," said he. "The point is to get them distributed as quickly as possible."

The health of Gen. French's great army in France and Flanders in the hands of the head of the Royal Army medical corps, and it is as much in the duty of the R. A. M. C. to save soldiers from "German pneumonia" as the gas poison is now being called by the British soldiers, as it is to save them from typhoid fever. Within only a few hours of the time that the first word came the Germans were using gas the R. A. M. C. had taken up the task of meeting the new situation. Its doctors were sent out on the firing line studying the symptoms of the poisoning; its motor laboratories were experimenting with gases and antidotes.

Care for Wounded

The R. A. M. C.'s duty is not only to keep the soldiers healthy but to take care of them when they are sick or wounded. Every town in the British zone in France was made scientifically sanitary. In many towns street cleaning forces made thoroughfares and yards, houses and even ancient castles and chateaus as germless as possible. The R. A. M. C. forces pursued germs as if they were the kaiser's army. Soldiers had to step about at R. A. M. C. orders; colonels and generals and all the other high folks had to follow R. A. M. C. orders. The medical man was supreme, in his own fighting zone.

Health regulations and sanitary orders were set out in each town. All the refuse must be burned, even tin cans in which there had been food, must be put into the fire. The germ chase was conducted regardless of expense, regardless of trouble. Incidentally, the latest order to the soldiers is "Kill every fly on sight."

The R. A. M. C. men go into the trenches, too, in their germ hunt. The trench soldiers are instructed how to live sanitarily; how to build toilet rooms as sanitary as those in a London dwelling; how to burn the remnants of their hurried trench meals.

Branch in Prison

I found the Canadian branch of the R. A. M. C. established in an old French prison. They had fought the germs out of it, they had whitewashed the ancient walls, the great yard, a mud hole in winter, was a spick and span as a garden. It looked like Spotless Town.

All through the British zone I found bath-houses. Some times they were factory buildings, or linen mills. My chief impression, during my trips behind the British line, is of groups of soldiers, with towels around their necks, swinging along a road either toward or from some bath-house. Clean socks, clean underwear and insectless uniforms are given to them when they tumble out of the kats or tubs.

It fights tiredness, too, and strained nerves. I don't know how many "convalescent hospitals" there are in the British line. I've been in not a few of them. They are always big cheery houses, which, in reality, are "rest houses."

There are games and music and papers and books and magazines in these "convalescent hospitals." All signs of war are absent.

In the United States, during the Spanish-American war, we saw how our volunteers died like flies, and never got within a thousand miles of the enemy, because we did not have anything like the services which the R. A. M. C. is rendering in the British army today.

WEATHER BULLETIN

	(Lo)	(Hi)	(P.)
Boston	60	68	.16
Charleston	70	84	.58
New York	66	78	0
Washington	66	88	0
Galveston	80	86	0
Jacksonville	72	84	.02
New Orleans	76	72	0
Chicago	56	62	0
La Crosse	52	70	1.30
Madison	50	60	.01
Memphis	74	88	0
Milwaukee	48	..	0
Bismarck	52	76	.04
Huron	52	52	.34
Kansas City	62	72	1.22
St. Paul	52	..	.88
Boise	56	78	0
Denver	48	80	0
Helena	44	72	0
Miles City	54	80	.10
Portland, Ore.	54	64	0

JUNE 18 IN AMERICAN HISTORY

1812—The United States congress declared war on Great Britain. James Madison was president.

1860—Adjourned democratic convention met in Baltimore.

1908 — Judge William Howard Taft nominated for president at Chicago by the republican national convention.

1911 — James Proctor Knott, ex-governor of Kentucky, noted character in the civil war, died; born 1829.

1912—Republican national convention met in Chicago.

Between Friends.

Miss Oldun—"I'd just like to see any man kiss me." Miss Young—"What a hopeless ambition!"—Boston Transcript.

Optimism Pays Best.

In business the one who assumes that the world is honest will often do better than the man who believes it to be peopled with rogues.



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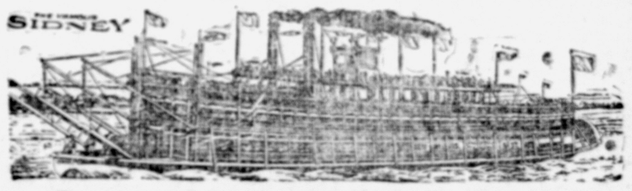
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Boat leaves at 12 o'clock noon. Returning at 7:30 p. m.

Tickets 25c and 50c.

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Lv. La Crosse 9:30 a. m.	Lv. La Crosse 8:00 p. m.
Return 6 p. m.	Return 11:30 p. m.
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